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MILLERSBURG.

News Notes Gathered In And About The 'Burg.

Mr. Dave Judy and family have returned to Lexington.

Mr. Tom Prather and wife returned to Mason, Wednesday.

Miss Mary Ivey, lady principal of the M. F. C., is yet quite ill.

Robt. Thompson shipped a car of hogs to Cincinnati, this week.

Mrs. Jas. Woolums went to Lexington, Wednesday, to visit friends.

Mrs. Robt. McClelland, of Mt. Sterling, is the guest of relatives here.

Go to Howard's and try the new Langdon bread, new baking process.

Mrs. Will Shipp, of Carlisle, was the guest of Mrs. Bettie Brown, Tuesday.

Messrs. E. P. and J. Will Clark went to Cincinnati, Wednesday, on business.

Mr. Robt. Collier, of Mt. Sterling, has been here several days buying corn.

Dr. C. B. Smith and Prof. Virgel Rider were in Paris yesterday on business.

Thos. McClintock sold Carpenter & Hunter eighteen extra large mules this week.

Mr. Fay Thornton went to Paris, Tuesday, to visit his sister, Mrs. John Coppel.

Mrs. H. H. Phillips goes to Cincinnati to-day to see the Metropolitan Opera Company.

Mrs. C. W. Howard and two sons went to Nepton yesterday to visit Mrs. Dave Hood.

Mrs. Ella Thaxton, guest of Mrs. Chas. Darnell, returned yesterday to Poplar Plains.

BORN.—Tuesday, at Winchester, a son to the wife of Kader Allen, formerly of this place.

Mr. Will Savage has returned from the Ohio Medical College, the session having closed.

Mr. John Pollock, of Steele's Ford, has the measles. This disease is usually hard on adults.

Mr. Jas. A. Butler and family went to Augusta, Wednesday, to visit Mrs. Butler's family.

Mr. James T. Hickey and family, of Lexington, have moved to the Curtis farm, near town.

Misses Lizzie and Mary Taylor went to Cincinnati, Tuesday, to buy a Spring stock of millinery.

Miss Bettie T. Vimont, Miss Sallie Barnett and Mrs. Jos. A. Miller were in Cincinnati, Wednesday.

Messrs. Bell and Lige Reese, of Mason county, were guests of their sister, Mrs. I. F. Chanslor, this week.

The Millersburg Female College Buildings have been sold to Prof. Fisher, of Abbingdon, Va.

Robt. Miller and wife returned Wednesday from a visit to their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Lamb, at Gallatin, Tenn.

FOR SALE.—Registered Poland China male hog, weight 150 lbs.

C. R. TURNER.

Miss Dorothy Peed, Mrs. Frank Ingle and Mrs. John Stuart went to Cincinnati, yesterday, to see the styles.

Mrs. W. B. Conway has had a handsome granite monument erected to the memory of her husband, by W. A. Hill, of Paris.

Miss Mary Lewis Armstrong, of the M. F. C. has returned to her home, at Sonora, on account of the illness of her grandfather.

Editor Duley, of the Flemingsburg Times-Democrat, visited his brother-in-law, Sam'l Dodson, Tuesday, and caught more fish at the dam than all the home talent.

CHANSLOR SALE.—The I. F. Chanslor farm, of 136 acres, sold Tuesday to Mrs. I. F. Chanslor, for \$52.00 per acre.

Corn brought \$1.02 1/2 per barrel; hay, \$7 to \$10 per stack.

Carpenter & Hunter shipped one car of mules and forty horses, from here yesterday. Among them were seven nice teams and several fine roadsters and saddle horses.

CARLISLE.

News Culled From Nicholas County Precincts.

The City Council will meet Monday night.

Mrs. Santee, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. McMahon.

John Cal. Taylor, of Covington, arrived Friday and is visiting relatives in the county.

Cray and John, sons of Dr. W. H. Martin, who have been attending Medical College at Louisville, returned home Tuesday night. The former brings with him his diploma.

BORN.—To the wife of Robert McCowan, on 27th ult., a son. Wednesday morning, to the wife of F. B. Henry, a son. To the wife of James Waugh, (nee Miss Hulda Richie) a daughter—first born.

On Monday morning last the boiler of a saw mill being operated near Germantown in Bracken county, burst, scattering death and destruction in every direction. Three men were killed and several others wounded. Among the killed was Cosh Williams, of this county. His body was blown about seventy-five yards, and although badly mangled and scalded he lived nearly an hour. —[Mercury.

Comfort.

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KISERTON

Some Neighborhood News Prepared For Your Perusal.

Lafe Cunningham has secured the splendid saddle stallion, Whitsitt Denmark.

Mrs. Sarah Leeds and son, Lee, of Paris, were guests of Mrs. Nerva McKinney, from Sunday till Monday.

Fishermen have been catching some nice carp out of Stoner. John Hutchison caught one weighing 8 lbs and Ernest Fry caught one that weighed 7 lbs.

The Kiser Base Ball Club organized last week and will meet any club in Kentucky for anything from 25 cents to \$100 a game. Husky Hatfield was elected Captain.

Messrs. Mary and Nina Jonet, of Cynthia, Miss Anna Moore, of Shawhan, and Miss June Jameson, of Paris, were guests of Mrs. Mary Talbot and daughter, last week.

PRICES on yarn carpets slaughtered at J. T. Hinton's.

Queen & Crescent Rates.

ROUND-TRIP tickets from Junction City and all points North to Cincinnati and return, on sale daily March 29th to April 3d.

One fare round trip, account Grand Opera Festival in Music Hall, Great Artists, rich program of masterpieces. Visit the Queen City during this Festival season. Your agent can give you full particulars.

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Important Notice.

ON and after April 1st, 1897, I will work strictly for cash. I will keep no books and will therefore not credit anyone. I will discount my bills ten per cent, but will positively not do any credit. Business, I am compelled to give my collector ten per cent, for collecting my bills, and, therefore, I will lose nothing by this method, but will protect myself from losses and at the same time I will save my patients ten per cent.

I will thank my patients if they will call and settle all their old bills and save costs.

Thanking you for past kindnesses, I hope still to merit a part of your patronage.

Sincerely,
(30mar-tf) DR. J. R. ADAIR.

L. & N. Excursion Rates.

On account of the Grand Italian and German Festival at Cincinnati March 29th to April 3d, the L. & N. will sell round-trip tickets at one fare.

F. B. CARR,
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See advertisement in another column of W. J. Bryan's new book—"The First Battle." Send your order to Oscar Miller, Hutchison, Ky., agent for Bourbon county. (tf)

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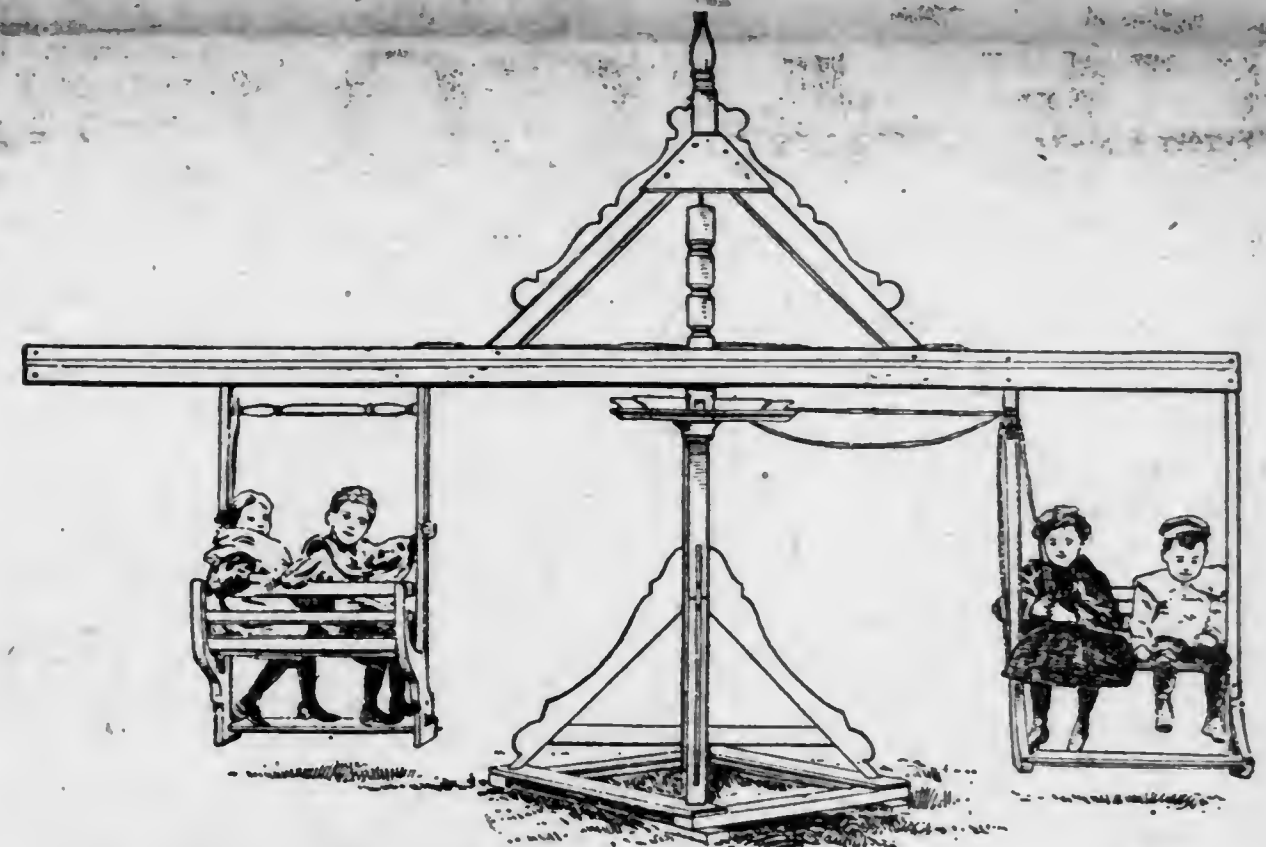
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A SWING FREE.

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To the child 15 years old or under who will furnish them the best advertisement for their folder, or the one they will accept for same, will be presented with one of their best and nicest swings, free of cost, delivered at their home or R. R. station.

The folder will be 3x5 1/2 inches, and three or four pages will be given to the aforesaid advertisement.

All children contesting for the swing must bring or mail the work on or before April 15th, 1897.

The swing will be delivered to winner on May 1st.

Parents and contestants are invited to call at the planing mill and see this novel and pleasing swing, where any information will be gladly given.

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IMPERFECT IN ORIGINAL

IT IS USELESS.

To Prolong a Hopeless War, Says Minister Dupuy De Lome.

Maj. H. P. Lloyd Wants to Be Minister to Belgium—Frank Palmer, of Illinois, Nominated for Public Printer—The Cabinet Meeting—Foraker's Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Within the past few days Minister Dupuy De Lome has said in private conversation to more than one person that the cause of Spain in Cuba was lost forever. He has intimated that the official administration of the island was honeycombed with either dishonesty or incapacity, and that in view of this fact it was idle for Spain to be sending soldiers to the island, for no matter how brave private might be, the officers were looking for private gain or public honor, and sacrificed their troops for personal considerations.

From the conversations of the Spanish minister, who has usually been so guarded, it is taken for granted in the diplomatic corps that Spain is getting ready to drop Cuba as gracefully as may be. The monarchy will ostensibly fight to the end, but it is almost ready for surrender, provided something can be done to cater to Castilian pride. The Spanish minister has seen Secretary Sherman very often of late, and while no open negotiations have been carried on, he has intimated that if they, the insurgents, would accept anything at all short of independence, Spain would be ready to meet them half way.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Maj. H. P. Lloyd, of Cincinnati, has been here since Saturday pushing his application for minister to Belgium. He has numerous endorsements and a general petition signed by business and professional men of Cincinnati and elsewhere.

Senator Foraker Tuesday morning introduced in the senate a modified form of the Patterson pooling bill, which permits railroads under certain restrictions to pool in the matter of transportation of freights.

The president Tuesday sent to the senate the following nominations: Frank W. Palmer, of Illinois, to be public printer.

Alexander M. Thacker, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at Havre, France.

Assistant Surgeon James Oakley, of Illinois, to be a passed assistant surgeon in the marine hospital service.

Neither the Cuban question nor any other matter of moment was considered at Tuesday's meeting of the cabinet. In fact the session was without public interest and was spent by the president and his advisors in chatting over some minor things. Very few people called at the white house Tuesday morning prior to the cabinet meeting. It was the easiest business day the president has had since his inauguration.

Gen. Draper, of Massachusetts, who is said to be slated for the Italian mission, was the only visitor of prominence.

THE ARBITRATION TREATY.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The last day of the debate on the amendments that have been made to the general treaty of arbitration concluded with the discussion of Tuesday afternoon. Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock the vote will be taken on the amendments that are pending up to that time, and the next morning the amended copy of the treaty, if it shall have been amended shall be laid before the senate. The discussion on these amendments will proceed until Thursday at 4 o'clock, when the final vote on the amendments then pending will be taken, and after that no further amendments will be permitted. When the final vote will be taken is a matter that can not now be determined for.

GEORGE L. CONVERSE.

Death of the Well Known Ex-Congressman at Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., March 31.—Hon. Geo. L. Converse, who represented this district in congress for many years, died Tuesday morning after several weeks' illness with what is supposed to have been Bright's disease. Though a democrat he was a protectionist and worked with Randall for a duty on wool, which caused his defeat for reelection by Hon. J. H. Outhwaite.

Mr. Converse was ill seven months. He was in his 70th year and died in the county of his birth. He graduated at Denison university in 1849, read law, served as prosecuting attorney and in the house and senate of the Ohio legislature from 1860 to 1865 and again in the house in 1873, when he was speaker.

THE TURKS.

Attacked by a Strong Force of Insurgents at Spinalonga and Compelled to Retreat.

LONDON, March 31.—A dispatch to the Central News from Athens states that a strong force of insurgents Tuesday attacked the Turkish troops at Spinalonga, Crete. The troops made a desperate defense of their positions, but could not withstand the determined onslaught of the Christians and were finally compelled to retreat. There was heavy fighting throughout the engagement. The dispatch adds that a vessel lying in the harbor of Spinalonga laden with ammunition and other stores was captured by the insurgents, who removed the captured supplies out of reach of the Turks.

Steam Tug Sinks at Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 31.—The steam tug El Rio Rey sunk in the harbor here early Tuesday morning. The crew of the tug had narrow escapes from drowning. The tug was valued at \$4,000 and was owned by John Rafferty, a newspaper correspondent, of St. Louis. The tug had been in the employ of the St. Louis Republic carrying correspondents through the flood districts and rescuing refugees.

The Gladstone's Start for England. CANNES, March 31.—Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone started Tuesday on their return to England.

AT IZZEDIN.

A Description of the Fight Between Turks and Christians—During the Battle the Foreign Warships Were Ordered to Fire. LONDON, April 1.—The Canca correspondent of the Standard describes the fighting around the fort at Izzedin. The garrison consisted of 300 Turks who had 12 Krupp guns and two Nordenfeldt guns. The guns, however, were trained seaward, and were useless to repel an attack from the land side of the fort. The blockhouse above the fort contained 300 more troops with two Krupp and two Nordenfeldt guns. Beyond this position there was a stone wall, where the insurgents were massed under the Greek side. It is impossible to say which side began the fighting, but the engagement was in full swing at 8 o'clock in the morning.

The Turkish guns in the block house took but a small part in the fighting, but a Turkish frigate shelled freely though with small success. An hour later the foreign warships were ordered to fire.

The Russian warship Grosastehy opened. She was followed by the British warship Ardent and the Austrian warship Tiger. Each fired in turn, aiming chiefly at the Greek flag. The fire from the Russian warship gradually demolished the whole wall, every shot from her taking effect. Despite the heavy cannonade the insurgents held their ground stoutly, throwing out skirmishers and driving back the Turkish outposts, although they were compelled to abandon their own principal position behind the stone wall.

The British battleship Camperdown began firing six inch shells at the insurgents who thereupon retired a little distance, but continued a heavy firing for a quarter of an hour. When the Camperdown was at the range of 6,300 yards she opened with her 13 inch guns. The effect was instantaneous. Three or four percussion shells burst right in the midst of the insurgents, causing them to run for shelter in all directions. The gun practice of the Camperdown was perfect, while the noise of the enormous shells hurtling through the still air was enough alone to frighten the enemy. Things were now too hot to last, and the flag was speedily lowered and the insurgents hastily retreated, while the Russian and Austrian warships fired with extreme accuracy a succession of shrapnel. The last shell was fired at a quarter past ten. The Russian and Austrian warships then steamed away on blockade service and the Ardent returned to Suda.

CANCA, April 1.—A force of insurgents occupied the hillside south of Suda bay Tuesday night. The position was rather an exposed one and the insurgents were compelled to withdraw by a warm fire poured into their ranks by the British, Austrian and Russian warships moored in the bay.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 1.—It is reported here that negotiations have been passing between Turkey and Greece looking to a settlement of the Cretan troubles. Whether these negotiations have taken place since those that were reported in the middle of March or the report is a revival of the old story, does not appear.



MRS. R. T. BUCKNER.

Well-known Southern Writer and Lecturer, of New Orleans.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Of the Government During the Month of March.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The statement of receipts and expenditures for the month of March, to be issued by the treasury department Thursday, will show a decrease in the national deficiency for the first time, with the exception of one month, in a year. Up to Wednesday the excess of receipts over expenditures for March amounted to \$8,743,728, and as there were no large payments to offset the revenue received Wednesday, a million more dollars will probably be added to this favorable showing.

This large increase in revenue is due to charges for the withdrawal of goods in bond and the duties on articles received from abroad naturally resulting from the Dingley bill. Importers and others who deal in articles on which the duty increased by the Dingley bill are getting their stores out of bonded warehouses and receiving large consignments from abroad to secure the advantage of the present rates.

Requisition for Riggs.

COLUMBUS, O., April 1.—Gov. Bushnell Wednesday honored a requisition from Gov. Bradley, of Kentucky, for Amos Riggs, now under arrest at Batavia, and wanted at Maysville, Ky., for the killing of William R. Boyd and Mandeville Boyd.

Third Assistant Secretary of State.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Thomas W. Criddle, the new third assistant secretary of state, was born in Jefferson county, West Virginia, and entered the state department service as a \$900 clerk in 1895. He was promoted by Secretary Blaine and Frelinghuysen, and finally he reached the responsible position of chief of the diplomatic bureau which he now holds.

Said to Be a Hoax.

LONDON, April 1.—Mr. Herbert Gladstone declares that the story recently published here that his father had learned to ride a bicycle is a hoax.

DEADLY CYCLONE.

A Dozen or More People Killed and 150 Badly Injured in Oklahoma.

The Storm Broke Without Warning and Few Had Time to Seek Places of Safety—Nearly Every Building in the Place is Down or Wrecked.

GUTHRIE, O. T., March 31.—A cyclone at Chandler, 40 miles east of here, at dusk Tuesday evening destroyed that town, and the latest news is that a dozen or more people were killed and 150 badly hurt.

The known dead are: Mr. and Mrs. Woodman, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Thomas Smith, Attorney John Dawson.

Injured so far as known are: Samuel Highower; John McCartney, clerk of court; F. N. Black and father; John Foster; Mrs. Emory Foster; two daughters of County Treasurer Ulan; Samuel Winthrop; George McHenry; Chandler was a town of about 1,500 people.

Nearly every building in the town was wrecked and daylight will undoubtedly reveal the presence of many more dead.

The storm broke without warning, and few had time to hunt for places of safety. Judge Dale was holding court, and the building was rolled off its foundations and turned over, but the court attaches all escaped.

A large number of physicians left here for a forty-mile drive in the dark with a load of medicines, surgical instruments, etc. The storm came from the southwest with terrific force, destroying everything in its path. It struck the town square, and but one building, the Mitchell hotel, is left intact.

A later message states that a large number of people known to have been in business buildings are missing and it is feared they are dead under the ruins. The true state of affairs can not be learned until daylight.

St. Louis, March 31.—It was rumored at a late hour Tuesday night that a cyclone struck the southern portion of Springfield, Mo., but owing to the prostration of wires details can not be obtained. The cyclone also struck in several places in northern Arkansas.

GEN. RIVERIA.

Was Captured While His Chief of Staff Was Attempting to Carry Him From the Battlefield.

HAYANA, March 31.—Several reporters went to San Cristobal Tuesday for the purpose of interviewing Gen. Rivera, the commander of the insurgents in the province of Pinar del Rio, who was captured by the forces of Gen. Velasco during an engagement near Cabañas on Sunday.

Gen. Rivera, as stated in the dispatches of Monday, was badly wounded in the fight and was taken prisoner as his chief of staff, Col. Bacallao, was attempting to carry him from the field. Col. Bacallao was also captured.

The reporters found Gen. Rivera, who was confined in the quarters of the guardia civil, resting more easily than he did Monday, his wounds having been attended to by Spanish physicians. He was very reticent regarding the condition of affairs among the insurgents in the province, positively refusing to answer any questions on the subject. He spoke freely enough on other topics and dwelt at length upon the history of the ten years' war, in which he played a prominent part.

One of the interviewers asked him if he did not think it useless to cause so much bloodshed in fighting against the sovereignty of Spain. His face at once became very serious and he replied: "Time will show; history will judge."

Both Gen. Rivera and Col. Bacallao said that they were thankful for the good treatment they had received since they were captured. Gen. Rivera has presented a diamond ring that he wore to the surgeon who has attended him since he was made a prisoner.

THE JOINT SESSION

Meets and Takes Seven Ballots for United States Senator Without Result.

FRANKFORT, Ky., March 31.—The sixth ballot for United States senator resulted: Hunter 60, Blackburn 43, Davis 13, Boyle 7, Stone 1. There were 124 votes cast, making 63 necessary to a choice, six pairs being announced. The clerk was ordered to take another ballot. There was no change in the ballot.

An attempt to adjourn failed, both sides being determined.

Eighth ballot, no change. Indications point to a long fight.

Ninth ballot.—The only change was a gold democrat vote for H. L. Martin, Blackburn's gold democratic manager.

Tenth ballot.—Same as eight.

Eleventh and twelfth ballots, no change.

Attempts to adjourn delayed the thirteenth ballot one hour. Nearly every member was eating apples or smoking.

There was no change in the thirteenth ballot.

Ship Timber for Exportation.

WINCHESTER, O., March 31.—Twelve men arrived here Tuesday from Montreal, Canada, and were taken to Liberty township, this county, where a large force of Canadians is hewing heavy ship timber for exportation. A track of land has been purchased by Montreal capitalists and the shipment of timber will be heavy for several months.

Charlie Mitchell Wants a Fight.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., March 31.—The Olympic sporting club of this city offers a purse of £3,000 for a fight between Charlie Mitchell and Bob Fitzsimmons. Mitchell says that if Fitz does not respond to his challenge he will fight Corbett for 1,000 or 2,000 pounds a side. Failing to meet Corbett, he will retire permanently from the ring.

The Plague Among British Troops.

LONDON, March 31.—A special dispatch from Bombay says that the plague has broken out among the British troops at Calcutta.

THE NEW TARIFF BILL.

Passes the House by a Vote of 205 to 121—Takes Effect April 1, 1897.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The tariff bill passed the house at 4:25; 205 yeas, 121 nays. Present and not voting 21. Five democrats—Broussard, Dovey and Meyer of Louisiana; and Keberg and Slayden of Texas, voted for the bill. Speaker Reed voted for the bill amid applause.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The following is the text of the new section to be added to the tariff bill as agreed upon by the republican members of the committee of ways and means fixing the date on which the duties in the bill shall take effect. It was introduced by Mr. Grosvenor (rep., O.).



HON. CHARLES H. GROSVENOR.

chairman of the sub-committee which investigated the subject. It reads as follows:

"Section 27. That all articles mentioned in the several schedules of this act which shall be imported into the United States between the 1st day of April, 1897, and the date of the passage of this act and which were not purchased and directed by the owner to be shipped for import into the United States by any citizen thereof prior to April 1, 1897, shall bear the same duties to be charged upon similar articles in this act and such duties are hereby made a lien on such articles, wherever and in whatsoever hands found, except in the hands of persons holding them for final consumption and have no purpose to sell or part with the same or any part or product of the same, and except also in the hands of persons shown to have obtained such articles without notice of the provisions of this act; and any person not such final consumer, without notice obtained an interest on such article or articles so subject to duty except as a common carrier or warehouseman, shall be liable for the payment of such duties thereon and the same may be recovered with interest but without penalty in any action or suit by the United States against such person or persons in any district or circuit court thereof. And all persons liable under this act for such duty or any part thereof in respect of any shipment, cargo or lot of any such article or articles may be joined in the same action for such recovery without regard to mutuality or nature of interests or defenses and such joint or several judgments or decrees may be rendered therein, including the enforcement of any such lien as justice or equity may require. In every such case the process of the court in the district where the action or suit is brought and where one defendant resides and is served shall run to and may be served on any defendant in any other district. It is hereby made the duty of the secretary to prescribe and enforce suitable regulations to carry out the provisions of this section, including the retention in the bonded warehouses of the United States, or any other place where such goods are deposited, samples of such goods until required for evidence on any such trial."

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The house, by a vote of 201 to 140, has adopted the amendment to the tariff bill making its duties take effect Wednesday, April 1.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The amendment of Mr. Hoar to the general treaty of arbitration providing that all questions of national policy, the Monroe doctrine, etc., shall be eliminated from the treaty and all subjects proposed to be submitted to arbitration under the treaty shall be first submitted to the senate and be agreed to by a two-thirds vote of that body, was the first amendment voted on. It was adopted.

The Chilton amendment to the arbitration treaty was laid on the table by a majority of seven votes in the executive session of the senate.

The Chilton amendment to the arbitration treaty added a clause to the first article of the treaty so as to make it read that the United States agreed to submit to arbitration all questions in dispute between the two nations "which the senate might at the time deem fit subjects for such arbitration."

ELECTRIC CABS IN GOTHAM.

The Supply From the Start Is Unequal to the Demand.

NEW YORK, April 1.—The Electric Carriage and Wagon Co. has established an electric cab system, which has been running in this city since Saturday. Six horseless cabs are already in operation. The cabs are run at an average speed of eight miles an hour and can run 20 miles an hour. The company denies that there will be any cutting of rates, and the fare is the same as that charged for the old-fashioned cabs. The cabs in use are very handsome and the mechanism easy of control. Already the supply is unequal to the demand.

Blockade of Greece Abandoned.

LONDON, April 1.—The Vienna correspondent of the Standard concurs in the statement that the blockade of Greece has been abandoned. A dispatch to the same paper from Berlin says it is quite possible that Prince Joseph of Battenberg, who is betrothed to Princess Anne, of Montenegro, will be proposed by the powers as governor of Crete.

Town Surrounded by Fire.

EGG HARBOR, N. J., April 1.—McKee City, near here, is surrounded by blazing forests and the entire neighborhood is fighting the flames.

FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

Extraordinary Session.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—SENATE.—The senate spent two hours and forty minutes in discussing in secret session the pending amendments to the arbitration treaty. No special progress was made toward the final result. Before taking up that matter the question of acting on the appointment of senators by governors of states, where the state legislature should have elected senators, came up in the case of John A. Henderson, appointed by the governor of Florida to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Senator Call on the third of March. After the executive session the bankruptcy bill was taken up and read in full, and then Mr. Nelson (rep., Minn.) offered a substitute for it, which was also read in full. The reading of the two bills occupied an hour and twenty minutes.

HOUSE.—Thursday was the last day of general debate on the tariff bill under the order adopted last week, but because Mr. Bailey's throat would not allow him to speak Thursday afternoon, an agreement was made to give two hours to general debate just before taking the vote next Wednesday which will be occupied by himself and Mr. Dingler.

WASHINGTON, March 27.—SENATE.—With the exception of the first hour the whole of today's session was spent by the senate behind closed doors, where not only was the arbitration treaty discussed in some of its bearings, but also the party organization of the senate—no definite results being arrived at on either subject.

During the opening session the civil service commission was subjected to another raking down at the hands of Mr. Gallinger (rep., N. H.). Resolutions of inquiry were offered and adopted as to the future disposition of the Union Pacific railway property, and as to the arrest and imprisonment of the American sailors in Cuba. At 4 p. m. the senate adjourned until Monday next.

HOUSE.—The consideration of the tariff bill under the five-minute rule, for the purpose of amendment which it was expected would be strictly business, opened with the liveliest political contest of the session, lasting for nearly three hours. It began promptly on the reading of the prefatory paragraph of the bill, to which Mr. Dockery (dem., Mo.) offered an amendment authorizing the secretary of the treasury to admit free of duty any article the production and price of which was controlled by a trust in the United States.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—SENATE.—Not in session Saturday.

HOUSE.—The progress of the house on the tariff bill was even slower Saturday than Friday. Only five more of the 167 pages of the bill were disposed of, making 149 pages in all in the two days allowed for consideration under the five-minute rule.

At this rate only 31 pages of the bill will be disposed of before the bill comes to a final vote. Only five amendments were adopted Saturday, all of minor importance, and each an amendment of the ways and means committee. All the questions involved in the tariff, with occasional incursions into the realm of the financial theories, furnished fruitful topics for the members.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—SENATE.—The senate Monday spent about an hour in open session and about two hours and a half in secret session discussing the arbitration treaty. A resolution against the treaty was presented from the Monroe Doctrine club, of Philadelphia, which characterizes it as "artificially contrived to advance the interests of England and to coerce the United States into a violation of a reciprocity treaty with Canada." A bill appropriating \$250,000 to be expended in saving life and property endangered by the great floods in the Mississippi valley was reported and passed.

HOUSE.—The rumored dissatisfaction among the members of the house with the schedules of the tariff bill was manifested Monday when Messrs. McCall and Levering, of Missouri, presented a resolution against the high rates of duty imposed in the woolen and cotton schedules. The former said it was the woolen schedule in the McKinley bill that had caused the reaction against the protective system resulting in the loss of the house, the senate and the presidency. At 5:30 the committee rose, and the house passed the senate joint resolution, making immediately available \$250,000 for the protection of the lower Mississippi valley, with an amendment carrying some of the more pressing items in the deficiency bill, passed week before last.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—SENATE.—The open session of the senate Tuesday lasted until 2 p. m., and the senate resumed behind closed doors the consideration of the arbitration treaty, spending two and a half hours in the discussion. To the 1404 bills that had been introduced up to the close of Monday's session there was enough added Tuesday to bring the whole number above the figure of 1,500—the majority of them being pension bills. The house amendments to the joint resolution passed Tuesday by the senate, appropriating \$250,000 to aid in protecting the life and property in the Mississippi floods, were concurred in by the senate, and the joint resolution was sent to the president.

HOUSE.—Tuesday was nearly all occupied in disposing of amendments offered by the committee on ways and means, most of which went to perfecting the phraseology, or making insignificant changes. An amendment putting books, maps and charts imported for the use of schools, colleges and public libraries on the free list was agreed to, also one restoring the McKinley rates on horses and mules. At 4 o'clock the reading of the bill where the committee left off Saturday last was resumed, and in the last hour of the day four additional pages were passed, over 20 in all. Mr. Hopkins (rep., Ill.), a member of the committee on ways and means, assured Mr. McMullen (dem., Tenn.) that if his associates would not unnecessarily delay consideration of the bill, the sugar schedules would be reached in time to act upon it. After the committee had finished effort was made to reach an agreement to extend the limit for debate from 3 to 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, the last two hours to be under the rules for general debate.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—SENATE.—The senate spent the larger part of its session Wednesday in secret convocation. At 12:25 it proceeded to the consideration of executive business, and that included, not only the arbitration treaty, but the question of filling the vacancies on the standing committees. The only matter of public interest that occurred in the open session were two resolutions on the subject of Cuba, and both of them went over without action till Thursday. The first was one offered by Mr. Mills (dem., Tex.) instructing the committee on foreign relations to inquire what obligation, if any, the United States has assumed toward the people of Cuba by maintaining the right to prevent the acquisition of the island by any European power and compelling them to remain subject to the dominion of Spain. The other was that offered Tuesday by Mr. Morgan (dem., Ala.) in relation to the letters from Maximo Gomez to Presidents Cleveland and McKinley.

HOUSE.—The Dingley tariff bill passed the house Wednesday afternoon by a vote of 225 to 121, after a present and an aye voting 27. The affirmative vote was composed of 190 republicans, five democrats—Messrs. Broussard, Dovey and Meyers (La.), and Keberg and Slayden (Tex.), and one populist, Mr. Howard (Ark.). Mr. Reed, in the speaker's chair, directed the clerk to call his name just before the announcement of the vote to which he responded aye amid applause. The negative vote comprised 117 democrats and 10 populists and fusionists—Messrs. Baker (Ill.), Marshall, Simpson and Todd.

Indiana Postmasters Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The senate Wednesday confirmed the following nominations of Indiana postmasters: Fred J. Herman, at Tell City; James F. Lawson, at Spencer; James H. Warnock, at Princeton; John Zimmerman, at Cannelton; Albert A. Small, at Anderson.

Closed Down.

CLEVELAND, O., April 1.—Owing to the continued strike of the mailmakers of the H. P. Nail Co., the company decided Thursday to close its shops Saturday indefinitely. This throws several hundred men out of work.

264 BUS. COR. PER ACRE.

It's marvelous! we progress! You can make a bushel where a bushel was made, 220 bushels of corn, 17 bushels barley, 1,600 bushels of wheat, 1 acre! Salted produce. CENTS! AND 10 CENTS to the John La Crosse, Wis., firm seed samples, worth \$500 start. [K]

"Were you asked the price you'd call a night five rods away?" "To this affair?" "I don't know what I want more in."

Spring Cleaning. Spring cleaning need not necessarily be made the drudgery it is if properly done. Paints, floors, hard walls and windows may all be cleaned without rubbing, by wiping over with strong suds made of Ivory soap and hot, soft water, then rinsed and dried. A room thus cleaned will be fresh and sweet, with no unpleasant odor of strong soaps or cleaning fluids.

ELIZA R. PARKER.

Men look for signs of spring out doors; women look for them in dry goods stores.—Arlington Globe.

Dull, gnawing pain—neuralgia. Prompt, soothing cure—St. Jacobs Oil.

The ordinary schoolboy doesn't think, and is much healthier.—F. F. Montessor.

When bilious or costive eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed. 10c, 25c.

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A cruel pain—sciatica. Its cure is sure. Use St. Jacobs Oil.

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Run riot in the blood in the Spring. Hood's Sarsaparilla expels every trace of humor, gives a good appetite and tones up the system.

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is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1.50 for \$5. Get only Hood's.

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is full of good health. Invigorating, appetizing, satisfying. Put some up to-day and have it ready to put down whenever you're thirsty.

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for VERY fastidious people.

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A good wheel, very cheap.

The success of the Waverley Bicycle in '96 places it at the head of the leaders for '97.

This year we produce a new and expensively made wheel, equipped with the only perfect bearings yet made—\$100

Last year's famous model, greatly improved, has been reduced to \$60. The saving is in the cost of machinery.

Catalogue Free.

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WORD OF ADVICE.

'Tis the custom to prate of the sadness,
The sins and the sorrows of life;
But I'd rather speak of the gladness
And beauty with which it is rife.
For the darkest of clouds has its lining,
The hardest of labor brings sleep;
'Neath the rocks there is gold for the mining,
And pearls may be found in the deep.

Is it better to sip of life's nectar,
Or purposely drink of its gall?
Would you willingly walk with a specter,
If angels would come at your call?
Would you rather have sunshine and light-ness,
Or darkness and gloom in your dreams?
As for me, I would cherish the brightness
With which the whole universe teems.

Look around and behold the earth's glory—
The mountain, the river and plain;
For they tell us an exquisite story
The burden of Nature's refrain.
How the Father of love, in His kindness,
Has given us more than we know;
Though we throw it aside in our blindness,
And reap of the pain which we sow.

But, to harvest the best of life's treasure,
One lesson must early be learned,
That we give to each other a measure
Of what our best efforts have earned.
Then, my children, I pray you be ready
To search, as you go, for the flowers,
And to share what you have with the needy,
For thus you'll have blessings in showers.
—A. E. Ross, in N. Y. Independent.



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CHAPTER XVI.—CONTINUED.

"Angus Bruce's sister!" exclaimed Herbert, with a start. "What, woman, my marry the sister of a—of Black Beard, the pirate? What put that in your head? What ails you, Mag? What do you mean? How knew you that Angus had a sister?"

"Oh, I've seen her often. She used to go to school in Wilmington, and has often been in your uncle's house. Miss Fannie knows her well. She is a young lady now—older than she is, and is said to be the handsomest girl in Smithville, and now that her brother had to leave home for the murder of your uncle, a murder which you and I know he didn't commit—"

"Mag! Mag! what do you mean?" said Herbert, springing to his feet and glancing hurriedly around the room.

"Nothing, honey, nothing; why, there ain't no one here—no one knows but you and I that it was you that killed ole marster."

"Mag! Mag! on your life don't say that again."

"Why, marster, I meant no harm. I jes' thought it would be a good plan if you'd marry her. You see, no one would ever suspicion you then."

"How should anyone ever have suspicion of me?"

"Why, you know how women folks are. They never believe that their own brothers or husbands could commit a crime, and they are always looking for some one else to saddle it on, and as you was the only man in the house at that time, besides Angus, you should be the one that they don't believe Angus did it."

"Everyone else does, Mag."

"Yes, all but us two."

"Don't say that again, Mag! They surely can't doubt that Angus is a pirate, with \$100,000 offered for his head."

"If I could go down there once, marster, I'd soon find out what they thought. I only want the man that is going to bring some of my children to me before I die, to protect himself."

"Thanks, Mag; I know you're all right, and I will think of that scheme, but it's not the pirate's sister that I will wed."

"Who then, marster?"

"You said, Mag, that there were but two young ladies here."

"Yes, marster, but you couldn't—no, you wouldn't—marry ole marster's daughter?"

"Couldn't! Why couldn't I?"

"Because—because, marster—how could you?"

"But you forget the other lady, Mag."

"The other lady? What? That would have been ole marster's bride, Miss Clara Hill? No, no, marster; not that. Ole marster'd haunt you."

"Why, Mag! Mag! what ails you?"

"I'm skeered for you, marster, that's all."

"Yes, Mag, it's Clara Hill that will be your mistress; just the same as though your old master had lived. Surely you don't object to her?"

"No, marster. It's for you to say, if her bein' about don't mind you too much of ole marster, that's all."

Herbert had drunk his hot Scotch.

"Good-night, Aunt Mag! and be arose from his chair, and went upstairs, with a mind anything but undisturbed, and little sleep visited his eyes that night."

"What could Mag have meant," he thought, "by that expression about my marrying Jennie Bruce? Did she, could she, imagine that I sought the sister of Black Beard for a wife? Or is she meditating treachery against me? Scarcely that; she relies on my hunting up some of her children. So I will! So I will! Mag must be kept satisfied! She says that the women think that their brothers and husbands can commit no crimes—why, then, Clara I hope will think so of me. Should Mag go to Smithville, she might ascertain that the family of Bruce are thinking of this matter, but what matters it to me what they think? If Bruce stopped there going out, which evidently he did, and left the cook, he certainly told his mother and sister that he was not guilty of the murder, and that I was—if so, why have they not been heard from before?"

"He doubtless told them that all of the circumstances pointed to him, and that to remain would be to hang for the murder—still, I can't understand their silence—it is unnatural."

"Then if Bruce heard Mag scream, he must have told them that, but he also

told them, if he did, that a negro's oath would not save him—even if Mag could save him, she would not do it, if in doing it she had to condemn me; perhaps it would be best to send her down, and find the drift of their sentiments."

"I can trust her. That was a master stroke, thinking about hunting up her children—at least I will think of it."

When Mag heard her master ascend the stairs and close his door, she sunk on her knees before the fire.

"Marster! ole marster! do you think Mag is forget—no, honey, Mag ain't forget, but Mag can't zactly see her way clear. You can rest easy, though, marster, for the woman that would have been my misses if you had lived, will never be my misses now. Since Angus Bruce turned pirate, marster, I don't know how I'll bring Herbert Lathrop to jests, but I'll do it, marster, I'll do it—if a nigger's oath won't count, a nigger can cut, and shoot and kill, Herbert Lathrop thinks his soft talk 'bout huntin' my children bought Mag over. Don't you believe it, marster! don't you believe it! I don't want my children to belong to a murderer. I'll 'member, marster; I'll 'member! and Herbert Lathrop shall be brought to jests."

CHAPTER XVII.

"COULD HE, COULD A MURDERED MAN, DO THAT?"

It was fully two hours later than usual when Herbert Lathrop descended the stairs the next morning, after having informed Mag of his coming marriage with Miss Hill, nor did he appear much refreshed.

Slumber had not closed his eyes until the night was well spent, and then his sleep was of that nature that it rather exhausted than refreshed, for it was troubled with fitful dreams in which his murdered uncle, Angus Bruce, Clara, his intended, and Aunt Mag, all played their parts.

He had been at the old home in Wilmington—he was down at the bank, altering his uncle's will.

"What, but \$5,000 to your nephew? Make it 50, uncle, make it 50—another cipher will do it—now change that five to 50—there, it's done."

"Hold! let me look to the windows and doors, no one must witness this. The witnesses' names are attached to the deed already—who are they? Strange and Bligh! Why! they were both lost at sea—what! no administrator named? the space left vacant, and no bond required? Herbert Lathrop, you were born in luck—there, now, the names filled in, put the papers back just as I found them, now look the safe—that much is accomplished."

"Now to slip out and close the bank. But why slip out? I work here often nights, what made me say that?"

"Now the bank door is closed. When next it opens there will be black crape fastened there."

"Ah, Angus Bruce, you will escape suspicion: the murder must appear the work of burglars. Why, here's a bar open: a horn of brandy will stiffen my nerves."

"What! Angus Bruce just on the corner! Fortune favors me—a letter from my cousin—wish to see my uncle. Certainly, captain: follow me."

"Now we are in the library. No trouble, captain, if you don't see him to-night, you may not see him before he leaves on his wedding trip."

"Uncle John! Uncle John!"

"Capt. Bruce is here and wishes to see you particularly."

"I have retired, nephew, but tell Angus to enter my room."

"Now, upstairs! Upstairs! Fannie! Fannie!"

"Yes, cousin."

"Angus Bruce is below with a letter to you from Clara."

"Tell Angus I will be down at once."

"Now open the trunk—the sheath knife! I have it in my hand—ah, but the blade is keen and long—kick off these shoes and put my slippers on; now off with my coat, roll up that sleeve, the blood might stain it—my uncle's blood—it's too late to hesitate now, the will is changed. A drink of brandy and one look in the glass—why, how pale I am—now softly, softly, down the stairs—the bathroom door is open, I am inside; there stands Bruce before my uncle, who is sitting on the bedside."

"If she tells me, Angus, that she weds me but to satisfy her father's demand I will return to Wilmington a single man."

"So, so, then Clara does not love you, Uncle John, but Angus, Angus! and she shall not wed him, but your nephew, Herbert Lathrop—can I get behind Bruce without his seeing me? Yes, yes! softly but quick, here I am—now under Bruce's arm—clutch the handle tight—drive hard—home! home to the hill! now fly!"

"That cry! that cry!"

"I have you, Mag! I have you!"

Herbert sprang from the bed, the cry still on his lips; the big beads of perspiration pouring from his body—shaking and quivering in every limb.

"My God! my God! how horrible! Why, it's but a dream—this bottle will live me up a bit; that came of Mag's talk last night. Perhaps I will sleep now."

He closed his eyes, but uninterrupted by the dream kept on.

"Mag, you're a nigger; you can't testify—a word and I'll kill you. Silence, and I'm your friend—I'll buy your children. It was Bruce, Mag; remember it was Bruce. Now I'm back in my room. Ah! a drink, quick! quick! That was Fannie's door; I'll join her on the stairs, and we will view the scene together. What's that? Murder! murder!"

"We enter the door; there's Bruce turning from the bedside, with the bloody knife in his hand. It couldn't be better—what a look of horror on his face. I'll call it a fiendish look; there's Uncle John leaning back on the bed, and blood, blood! everywhere. Look again; Fannie screams and faints."

"Angus Bruce, you have murdered my uncle!"

"Flee! This is your scheme. It is you that murdered him."

"Call the officers! Call the officers!"

"Scoundrel!"

"Ah! you are after me! Slam the door! Slam the door! Now watch—there he goes, now for the sheriff!"

"What, Bruce! a pirate—Black Beard—and \$100,000 for his head! Better; better yet. I hope he'll soon be killed, killed dead—dead men can't talk."

"I am a planter. I own Kendall. You say, squire, that Clara will be my wife? Why, that's what I've worked for. To obtain her hand was one of the objects that caused me to stain my hands with—but no, Bruce did that!"

"Clarence and Fannie marry the same day, October 10."

"What's that, Mag? Me marry the sister of Agnes Bruce? You're crazy! Why, he killed my uncle!"

"No, you, you! Herbert Lathrop!"

"Mag, Mag, never say that again; some one might hear you. It's said that walis have ears. I'll buy your children and your husband, and anything you want, but don't say that again."

"Go to Smithville and see what the mother and sister of Bruce say? Well, Mag, we'll see about that—I have faith in you, for you expect me to restore your children, and I'll do it, Mag, I'll do it. I wonder if Tom Hill is all right."

"Ah, the 10th of October is here. Now, it is night, and we will walk in at the chapel door; there is the priest in his white robes, and there is Clara leaning on her father's arm. How beautiful she is—here is Fannie on my arm. What! Clarence and my cousin first? That's well. Why, now they are man and wife, and Clara and I stand before the altar."

"Who is that! Who is that! What! Black Beard? Seize the murderer of John Loyd! What, me! Help! help!"

And from the bed leaped Herbert again, his eyes staring and his whole frame quaking.

"Thank God! Thank God! it's daylight. Not for the world would I close my eyes again. I must send Mag to Smithville; I can't stand this. Ye gods, I am whiter than these walls. What! eight o'clock? Had I waked at the usual time, I would have been spared half of that horrid dream. Why, I can hardly stand, and I am wringing wet. Aunt Mag! Aunt Mag! keep your idle thoughts at home."

When Herbert entered the dining-room Fannie was seated at the table.

"Good morning, Fannie."

"Good morning, cousin; why, how like a ghost you look. Are you ill?"

"I am not well, Fannie, and rested poorly. I am going to Wilmington to-day to see Dr. Davis; do you wish to go?"

"No, Herbert, I don't wish to see the place soon, and yet I have spent many happy hours there, when my dear

father was alive. What a very fiend one must be to murder a defenseless old man. Why, father never would have dreamed that he stood in danger from Angus Bruce."

"His infatuation for Miss Hill made him desperate," said Herbert. "He could not bear that other than himself should possess her hand."

At one o'clock Herbert was in Wilmington. The principal theme of conversation there seemed to be Black Beard and his exploits, among the latest being the Beaufort and Baltimore episodes.

The Mary Lockett, an incoming vessel with funds to buy cotton, had been overhauled 15 miles from the inlet, and after seven of her crew had been slain, the pirates plundered her, securing a large amount of money, and although no man answering the description of Black Beard was seen among those who boarded and plundered her, the pirates' vessel was a two-masted schooner, and it was generally conceded that Black Beard was her master.

The Sydney K. Jones, another cotton-carrying craft, three weeks overdue, it was claimed had been plundered by the pirates, and with her entire crew sent to the bottom of the ocean.

It was argued that the days of Black Beard must be drawing to a close, unless he at once abandon the Carolina coast.

His crew, it was estimated, numbered 100 men, and was said to be composed of fugitives from justice, ex-convicts and runaway slaves.

A steamer was fitted out in the harbor, which would soon leave in quest of the pirates.

Herbert visited the old home of his uncle, which had not been entered since he had taken Fannie to Kendall; the furniture and the belongings of the house had not been removed, and everything seemed familiar.

He went up to his old room, there stood the half-empty bottle of brandy, from which he had drank that night. He turned a glass, and drank it down, then he passed into his cousin's room; there suspended from the wall hung a painting of his uncle; he glanced at it but once, and left the room; next he passed down the stairway, and at the bottom hesitated.

"Why should I go there? I shaw! I'm nervous. Why should I not? am I a coward?"

He walked to the library door and entered—the door of his uncle's room stood open.

"There stands the bedstead as it stood that night when—I killed my uncle. The bloody sheet, blankets and mattress have been removed. There's where Angus stood, right opposite my uncle; there I stole in behind and struck the blow. Ah! what's that? blood! blood on the carpet yet? Hark! that scream! it was in the bathroom—there is nothing there; I am a very fool. I must leave the house before I lose my head. What's that?—a portrait, and with its face reversed. Mine! mine again! There's something wrong—everything is wrong. Could he, a murdered man, do that? Away with such an idea! Herbert Lathrop, be a man!"

He closed and locked the house and proceeded to the dock of the Sunshine, which he boarded for home.

He was seated in the cabin when Capt. Harper entered.

"You are not looking well, Mr. Lathrop. A planter's life can't agree with you. Come, try the brandy on the side-board here."

"Thanks, captain, I believe I will. I have been having chills."

"Whiskey and quinine, and plenty of it, is the only remedy I know of for Cape Fear chills. By the way, Angus Bruce seems to be giving the whole coast chills. I suppose you read of his latest exploits?"

"Yes, I read of them. You must see his mother and sister sometimes?"

"Seldom, but sometimes I meet them on the street."

"I suppose they are in great distress."

"Strange, but from appearances one would not imagine that they were crushed, though of course they are in trouble; but they bear up well. They will not speak of their troubles with anyone. To be, the nigger cook, is around as lively as ever; one would think that the course of Angus was not so much of a surprise to his own family."

"Strange," thought Herbert, "and a large sum offered for his head. I think I must send Mag to Smithville."

Herbert left the Sunshine at Orton landing and arrived home just at dusk.

SHE FOOLED HIM.

Married the Deacon and Became Sweet Tempered.

"Deacon," said the man who had been his lawyer for years, according to the Detroit Free Press, "I take the liberty of an old friend and advise you not to marry Miss Nancy Clawman. It may offend you, deacon, but I'm too loyal not to speak right out. She's a shrew, a tumbler, a veritable Nantippe. She'll make hell on earth for you."

"That note be, I ain't expectin' much from her, so she can't disappoint me much. But, jesssido me that fur a man that's been a pillar in the church nigh on 50 years that my burdens has been too light. The river of life has run too smooth fur me. I ain't had no serious trials and tribulations. I can't see no credit in bein' a Christian under them there circumstances. Ef I kin bear up with a partner like Nancy, keepin' faith an' doin' my duty, I calculate I will a been tested an' not found wantin'."

"Why, deacon, you have a Mark Tapley disposition. But I have entered my protest and I can do no more. If you really want to be tried by fire I can conceive of no better opportunity."

The deacon had an abundance of such advice from well-meaning friends, but despite it the wedding came off. Then ears were pricked and tongues sharpened with a view of startling developments confidently expected. They were sure that the deacon would not only be henpecked, but clawed and made a slave of. But they were disappointed. Nancy proved a tender, loving and dutiful wife. Her sour visage was transformed into a pleasant, smiling face. Where her voice used to disturb the air like a cross-cut saw it was soft and sweet. The deacon was surprised if not disappointed. But it was all explained to him and no one else.

"Deacon," said Nancy. "I'm not takin' much credit to myself for bein' a good wife, but I'll keep it up to the end. I heard about that Nantippe business, and I looked it up. You thought you would marry me and then put up with my tantrums. You was goin' to use my short-comin's to help you into heaven. I was to be the female terror and you the wise and patient Socrates. Well, deacon, I jist fooled you and all the rest of 'em. You can't make no cross out o' me an' then git the recordin' angel to give you credit for carryin' it."

Failed But Once.

"Don't be afraid. Come right in—my wife's out. Have a little something? Here's a nice quality of old—"

"Good heavens, man, you've got the wrong bottle! Look at that label! Don't you see it's marked 'Poison!'?"

"Oh, that's all right. That saves is from the hired girl. My own invention, you know. Clever, isn't it? Never failed but once."

"How was that?"

"Hired girl couldn't read."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Tired of Running.

Mrs. Kidnuff—Oh, yes, I have a running account at Cottons and Tapes. It is much better than paying for each little purchase, you know.

Mrs. Skidmore—A running account. Why, the collector of the firm told my husband that your account had been standing a very long time.—Tit-Bits.

A Drawback.

She—But he has such a delightful way of saying things—quite a poetic temperament.

He (a rival)—Yes, he has soerings after the infinite, and divines after the unfathomable, but he never pays cash.

—N. Y. Journal.

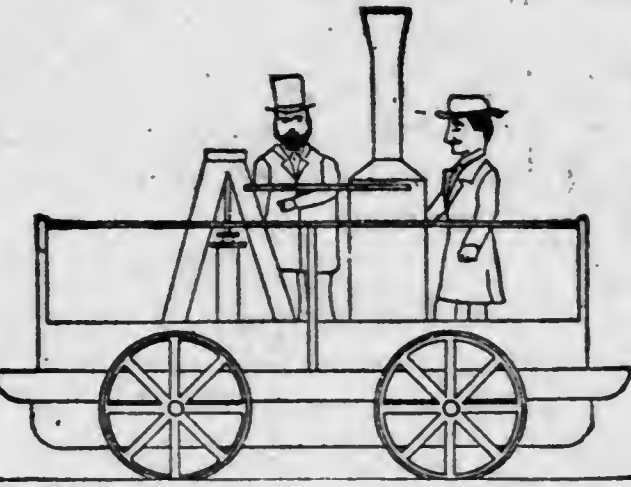
—Less than 700 years ago, or say 20 generations back, each person now living had ancestors numbering over 1,000,000. Nine generations back his ancestors numbered over 1,000.

ABOUT LOCOMOTIVES.

The Evolution of the American Steam Engine.

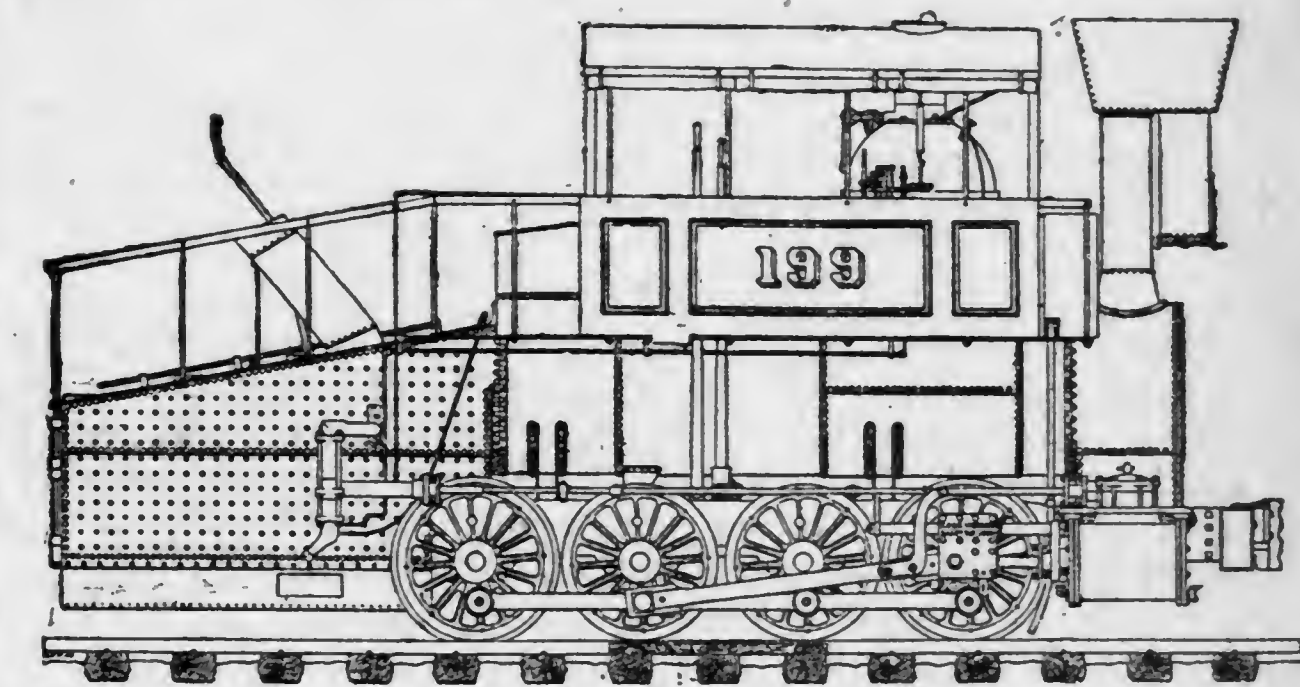
Peter Cooper's Crude Affair—Various Other Types in Early Use and Their Peculiarities—The Modern Flyer.

Although Peter Cooper never built a successful full-sized locomotive, he is none the less entitled to the renown of being the father of the American locomotive. He began building his model, on the site of the present Mount Clare workshops in Baltimore, in 1829, and made several trial trips with it before the close of that year. It was a very crude machine, judged by the present stand-



THE FIRST AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE.

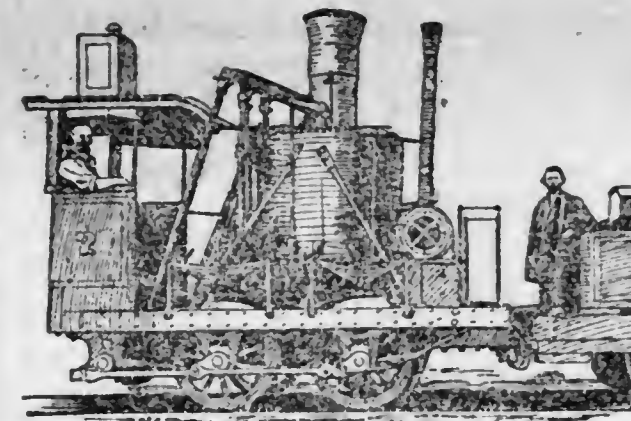
ard, having an upright boiler with a single cylinder of 3¼ inches diameter and a stroke of 14½ inches. Instead of using the exhaust steam from the cylinder to produce a draught for the fire,



A WINANS CAMEL BACK.

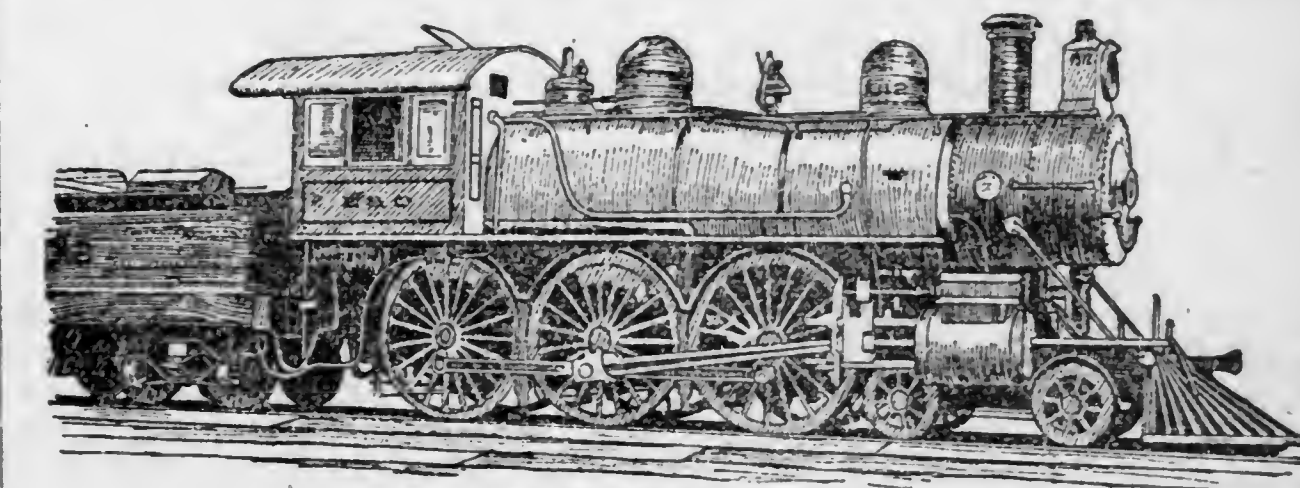
as in all modern locomotives, Mr. Cooper placed a fan, revolved by a belt from one of the axles, in the funnel of his engine. The power was applied to the other axle by means of a toothed wheel. The strength of the engine was one horse-power, and attained the then extraordinary rate of 18 miles an hour.

On the following January 4, 1831, the directors of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company issued their famous order of \$4,000 for the best locomotive which should be delivered at their line before



A DAVIS GRASSHOPPER.

the following June 1. The winner of this contest was Phineas Davis, who called his engine the "York," from York, Pa., where it was built. It was the first of the class known as "grasshoppers," and had a vertical boiler and cylinder. The exhaust steam revolved a fan which in turn revolved a second fan close to the ash pan by which air was forced up through the fire. Under favorable circumstances the "York" ran at as high a rate of speed as 30 miles an hour with three or four cars, and



A MODERN FLYER.

throughout the year 1832 had an average run of 80 miles a day. It was a little later than this that the horizontal boiler was substituted for the vertical one, and the name of the engines using the horizontal boilers were "crabs" to distinguish them from those of the "grasshopper" class.

Ross Winans invented the projecting journals on the axles of ear wheels, thus producing at a stroke the friction of hauling them from twelve pounds to a ton to three pounds.

Mr. Winans' first two engines, manufactured in the fall of 1836, though



WINANS' MUD DIGGER.

eight tons each in weight, had a greater draw-bar pull than any of the 12-ton engines made by Stephenson in England. In the following years the first of the famous "mud-diggers" was turned out at the Mount Clare works. This type of engine had driving wheels three feet in diameter and cylinders 17 inches in diameter, with a 24-inch stroke. Assuming that the steam pressure in the boiler was 100 pounds to the square-inch, such an engine must have

had a draw-bar pull of 19,266 pounds, or enough power for even a good-sized engine of to-day, but if the bad balancing of all early locomotives be added to the friction of the toothed wheels, and the lateral and longitudinal play of the connecting rods, it may be safely inferred that the "mud digger" class



HAYES' DUTCH WAGON.

was never able to apply more than half its nominal draw-bar pull.

The variety of locomotive still known as the "camel back" was first built by Ross Winans between 1850 and 1853. These were the first 30-ton engines ever used in any part of the world. Next to one modern class of engines, which shall here be nameless, they were perhaps the ugliest locomotives which have ever been built. Yet the "camel backs" could pull trains no other engine built up to this time could, and kept their scheduled time, summer and winter, over the mountain grades of the Alleghenies, and so well built were they that some of them put into service 30 years ago are still pegging away, much too good to be relegated to the scrap heap.

The "Dutch wagons" were introduced by Samuel J. Hayes in 1857. They were wood-burning engines with inside

cylinders. As inside cylinders demand forged cranks on the driving axles, and as these crank axles are liable to fracture with excessive strain or after long use, American builders have wisely avoided them.

Between the era of the "Dutch wagons" and the mammoth locomotives of to-day lie the classes of engines familiar to every one, because examples of them are still to be found working on every branch road. But the latest example of engine building, as illustrated by the ten-wheeled consolidated passenger engines at present in use on the B. & O. road, brings up such magnificent concentration of speed, strength and endurance as were never before seen in the history of the world. These engines have six coupled wheels, six feet six inches in diameter, cylinders 21x26 inches, and a steam pressure of 170 pounds to the square inch. They haul the Royal Blue line trains, and on many occasions have gone a mile in 50 seconds, while one of them has been timed covering a mile in 32 seconds. When it is borne in mind that a "horse-power" really means what a very strong horse can lift in a minute, the force of one of these engines will be realized by conceiving 1,100 horses all able to make one mighty pull at the same moment

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Attention, Candidates.

ALL candidates for the various offices in Bourbon County, who expect to submit their names to the Democratic Primary Election, May 23, 1897, are requested to report their names to D. C. Parrish, Secretary, on or before April 5, 1897, Court-day, at 10 o'clock a. m.

T. E. MOORE, Chm'n Dem. Co. Com.

GREAT pressure is being brought to bear upon Mr. Harmon Stitt to get him to make the race for County Judge in the May primary. While Mr. Stitt is deservedly very popular and would make an able and conscientious judge, it is hardly probable that he will consent to neglect his large and growing practice to enter the contest.

No Senator Yet.

At Frankfort yesterday three ballots were taken with the same result, viz: Hunter 58, Blackburn 42, Davis 12, Boyle 7, Stone 1. No election.

The deadlock is costing the State over \$1,000 a day. The deadlock last winter cost the State about \$100,000. Fourteen Hunter men have signified their willingness to call a new caucus for a new nominee, but the anti-Hunter Republicans decline to go into it.

After a wildly noisy discussion, the House passed the bill reducing Appellate and Circuit Judge salaries from \$5,000 and \$3,000 to \$4,000 and \$2,000 respectively.

The House Committee on Revenue and Taxation is trying to make a beginning on the needed revenue legislation. It reported bills, originating in the committee, to fund \$500,000 as floating indebtedness of the State, to issue interest-bearing warrants after July 1, and to increase the State tax from 42¢ to 52¢ cents.

RUMORS of Gov. Bradley's intended resignation are again current. One of the Governor's political friends says the Governor gave him to understand that he would resign about the middle of April.—[Courier-Journal.]

In Congress Tuesday Mr. Settle introduced a bill pensioning Elizabeth King, of Lexington, at \$24 a month, and bills correcting the military records of W. H. Cohon and William Robb.

PRESIDENT KRUGER, of the Transvaal, suspended his grandson from office for making a speech in which he insulted Queen Victoria.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY says he never received the letter alleged to have been written him by Gen. Gomez, of the Cuban army.

In the matter of the immediate expense of the two Legislature sessions lone the struggle between Blackburn and Hunter over the Senatorial succession has already cost the people of Kentucky \$75,000.

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Legislation About Glanders.

COL E. F. CLAY and Judge H. C. Howard, of this city, County Attorney D. L. Evans, of Cynthiana, Dr. F. T. Eisenman, State Veterinarian, and Dr. J. E. Cashin, State Bacteriologist, of Louisville, went to Frankfort Wednesday to consult with Gov. Bradley regarding the cases of glanders discovered in Bourbon and Harrison counties. Dr. Eisenman reported that out of fourteen suspected horses, eleven were afflicted with glanders. One horse has been killed, and the others are strictly quarantined. There is no danger of the disease being spread. It is alleged that the disease has existed for four years on one farm in Harrison and two years on one Bourbon farm.

The Governor was also shown the need of legal remuneration for the loss of their horses which must be killed to stamp out the disease. It is likely that Gov. Bradley will recommend the Legislature to immediately pass a bill to cover the losses by owners from the disease.

A dispatch yesterday afternoon from Frankfort to the Louisville Post said: "Representative Hinton, of Bourbon, introduced a bill in the House for the suppression of glanders, providing that each horse found with the disease shall be killed, and the owner shall be allowed payment for the same by the State at the rate to be fixed by the County Judge and two Magistrates, not to exceed \$50. The penalty provided is from \$100 to \$500 for failure to comply with the act."

A JOINT resolution was introduced in Congress Monday for the annexation of the Sandwich Islands, to be known as the State of Hawaii.

THE Czar's order for the concentration of 200,000 troops is striking distance of Constantinople shows how much faith that Power has in the intent and capacity of the Powers to preserve the peace of Europe.

THE effort to create the State of Manhattan is serious, and the country legislators in New York are alarmed. The city of Greater New York pays 75 per cent. of the entire taxation of the State, and yet it does not control the legislation of the State. A majority of the people of the metropolis are anxious to separate from the State of New York, and this is but the beginning of an agitation that will continue to agitate, but amount to nothing in the end.—[Exchange.]

SCINTILLATIONS.

An Interesting Jumble Of News And Comment.

A new \$30,000 Christian Church will be built at Cynthiana.

A nine-year-old child of Jacob Cotts died of whooping cough, Tuesday, at Shawhan.

W. M. Lyon, proprietor of the Woodford Hotel, the largest hotel in Versailles, assigned Tuesday to R. L. Stout. Liabilities and assets unknown.

Last Thursday \$3,500 in gold was dug up on John Parrish's farm in Madison. It was buried years ago by a man who went crazy, and afterwards died.

Messrs. Joe Coyle, Robert Skinner and other Lexington sportsmen are arranging a two-days' live bird tournament for the middle of April. They have purchased 600 pigeons.

Monday night thieves broke into the Episcopal Church at Maysville and stole a solid silver communion service and \$30 in cash. The cup and plate were found next morning in a vacant lot.

At a meeting of the Louisville Clearing-house Association Wednesday a committee was appointed to look into the recent Appellate Court decision in the bank tax cases and report as to the proper course to be pursued.

The Bradley-Martins sailed from New York, Saturday, for England, taking forty pieces of baggage and several dogs. They will spend two months on their estate in Scotland and then go to London for the Queen's Jubilee.

Geo. Merkt died in Bellevue Hospital, New York, Sunday night, a raving maniac from the excessive use of cigarettes. His form of insanity was the most violent, and his sufferings in his passive moments the most intense.

STOCK AND TURF NEWS.

Sales and Transfers Of Stock, Crop, Etc.—Turf Notes.

"Snapper" Garrison will ride again this season.

Fisher Tarr has sold in Louisville ten hds. of tobacco at an average of \$12.60.

W. E. Stilwell's black saddle stallion, Pat Washington 589, will make the season at his place, two miles North of Clintonville, at fifteen dollars for a living colt. Also, the premium jack, Contest, at five dollars for a living colt.

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Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in Paris, Ky., postoffice, April 2, 1897: Brown, Miss Ellen Jones, Mrs. Hannah Cambul, Ger. McMahon, Willie Conroy, A. J. Murray, Miss Fannie Crane, Miss Mary Patrick, Robert Donati, A. Phelps, William Duncan, Nannie (col) Porter, Mrs. Cynthia Frank, Rev. J. A. Richardson, W. A. Henry, Miss Jennie Korch, Miss Mattie Hock, Miss Mary C. Spratt, Miss Rebecca Howard, Mrs. Sarah Taylor, Frank Johnson, Miss Rosie Thompson, Mary L. Johnson, Mary (col) Vance, Miss Ella Jones, Annet Mag Wheeler, Miss Katie Jones, Miss Katie Williams, Mrs. Wm. Wheeler, Mrs. Belle (col).

Persons calling for above letters will please say "advertised."

W. L. DAVIS, P. M.

Yesterday's Temperature.

The following is the temperature as noted yesterday by A. J. Winters & Co., of this city:

7 a. m.	46
8 a. m.	48
9 a. m.	49
10 a. m.	50
11 a. m.	51
12 m.	52
1 p. m.	53
2 p. m.	54
3 p. m.	55
4 p. m.	56
5 p. m.	57
7 p. m.	58

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GOSSIPY PARAGRAPHS.

Theatrical And Otherwise—Remarks In The Foyer.

BLIND BOONE.

The Blind Boone Concert Company, which delighted our people a year ago, will give a concert Wednesday night at the Opera House. Boone is a musical prodigy whose natural gifts have been cultivated till he can please equally the best musicians and the masses. His voice is not trained, but is good and as he confines himself to ballads, he never fails to receive hearty encores. The soprano, Stella May, who accompanies him, has a wonderfully pathetic, sweet voice, and sings plantation songs admirably.

Emily Banker, the clever actress who appeared here early this season, is playing at the Murry Hill theatre, in New York. Clay Clement and Roland Reed, other Paris favorites, are also playing in Gotham this week. Chauncey Olcott, the sweet singer, has been playing at the Fourteenth-street Theatre for three months.

"My Friend From India" will be used by three companies next season. "Secret Service" by two, "Under The Red Robe" by two, "The Girl From Paris" by two and "In Old Kentucky" by two.

In New York last Friday "In Old Kentucky" reached its 2,000th performance. Souvenirs were given away in honor of the occasion.

PRICES on yarn carpets slaughtered at J. T. Hinton's.

WHEEL NOTES.

Lines About Devotees Of The Wheel, At Home And Elsewhere.

England's grand old man is not to be outdone by Cato, who learned Greek at eighty. Gladstone, at eighty-seven, has just mastered the bicycle, and finds new pleasure in it.

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BASE BALL NOTES.

Gossip of the Diamond—Doings of Professionals and Amateurs.

George Reiman pitches for Dayton, O., this season, and Newton twirls for Norfolk, Va. Dickey Van Winkle will play with Kehos in the Indianapolis Western League Club.

The Kentucky Inter-Collegiate baseball season opens to-day at Lexington with a game between Centre and State college. K. U. plays Georgetown tomorrow at Georgetown.

A dispatch from Portsmouth, Ohio, says: "Shimmers, of Paris, Ky., who is to manage a baseball team here this summer, has asked all his players to meet him at The Enquirer office on April 3, to arrange for the season's work. The list includes Best, Hempleman and Figg, of Cincinnati; Tanner, of Zanesville; Fisher, of Saginaw, Mich.; Curran and Harrington, of Dubuque; Smith, of Columbus, and Hart, of Cincinnati. The season will not open here until May 1."

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EAST BOUND.

Lve Frankfort	6:30am	3:00pm
Arr Elkhorn	6:43am	3:20pm
Arr Elkhorn	6:51am	3:28pm
Arr Stamping Ground	7:02am	3:39pm
Arr Duvalis	7:08am	3:45pm
Arr Georgetown	7:20am	4:15pm
Lve Georgetown	8:40am	4:30pm
Arr Newtowa	8:12am	4:42pm
Arr Centerville	8:24am	4:52pm
Arr Elizabet	8:40am	5:10pm

WEST BOUND.

Lve Paris	9:20am	5:30pm
Arr Elizabet	9:24am	5:42pm
Arr Centerville	9:38am	5:49pm
Arr Newtowa	9:48am	5:58pm
Arr Georgetown	10:00am	6:10pm
Lve Georgetown	10:40am	6:35pm
Arr Duvalis	10:50am	6:45pm
Arr Stamping Ground	11:00am	6:55pm
Arr Elkhorn	11:25am	7:04pm
Arr Elkhorn	11:35am	7:11pm
Arr Frankfort	11:50am	7:25pm

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FELIX LOWRY and wife have moved to their farm near Paris.

SYDNEY G. CLAY and wife have moved to a farm on Cane Ridge.

REMEMBER the millinery openings of Mrs. M. Parker—to-day and to-morrow.

WALLACE BROS. circus will exhibit in Lexington, May 3, and Mt. Sterling, May 4.

BISHOP BURTON is building a handsome residence on West Sixth street, in Lexington.

JUDGE WEBB's civil court will convene Tuesday morning in the council chamber of the city building.

THE third of Mr. Leon Vincent's series of lectures will be heard to-night at the Court-house. Subject, "Lowell."

MR. AND MRS. RION DOW have moved to Mr. R. P. Dow's farm on the Clintonville pike, four miles from Paris.

WILL A. GAINES, formerly of Centreville, slipped and fell down the steps at his home in Georgetown, the other day, fracturing a small bone in his ankle.

A FEMALE commercial traveler, who was selling flavoring extracts, was in Paris yesterday. She was good looking, well dressed and was a smooth talker.

ATTENTION is directed to the announcement on eighth page of the candidacy of Mr. T. E. Ashbrook for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

IN another column is the advertisement of J. L. Horton's public sale, at ten o'clock a. m., on Wednesday, April 14, of stock, farming implements, etc. See adv.

REV. JOE HOPPER will begin a protracted meeting Sunday at the Second Presbyterian Church. Services will be held every morning and night next week. Rev. Hopper recently closed a meeting at Elizaville, with fourteen additions.

COL. GEORGE W. BAIN will lecture at the Court-house, in this city, on Monday night, April 12th, from the subject, "The New Woman and The Old Man." Admission, 35 cents. The lecture will be under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., for the benefit of the industrial school.

THE Monday Night Literary Club this week elected the following officers: President, Rev. F. W. Eberhardt; Vice President, Miss Olivia Buckner; Secretary, Miss Leila Johnson; Treasurer, Miss Mary Brent; Critic, Mr. Albert Hinton. The club has engaged Mr. Willis Irwin to lecture at one of its meetings this month.

THE daintiest conceptions of the premier French and American milliners secured by Mrs. Cornay Watson during her recent trip East are now being fashioned by Mrs. Watson and the deft fingers of her new artistic trimmer Miss Sterling, into exquisite hats and bonnets to be displayed at the opening next Friday and Saturday, April 9th and 10th. No lady should fail to attend these openings.

Taken To Frankfort.

SHERIFF BREEDING took Will Mack and Ernest Dodge, both negroes, to Frankfort Wednesday and placed them in the penitentiary. Each prisoner was sentenced to two years—Mack for robbery and Dodge for burglary.

Coal Oil And Soda Given Away.

No April Fool about this! On Saturday, April 3d, we will give: 1 gallon of Coal Oil with each purchase amounting to \$1.00.

One-half gallon of Coal Oil with each purchase amounting to 50 cents.

One-half pound of best baking Soda with each purchase amounting to 25 cents.

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Of Interest To The Children.

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Read the ad on first page. (2ap-2t)

A wonderfully complete line of wall paper is being shown at J. T. Hinton's. Prices the lowest.

Tollgate Raiders At Work.

THE double tollgate at Renaker, Harrison county, was removed by twenty-five masked men, who ordered the gatekeeper not to again collect toll. All but one of the road's directors favor throwing open the gates.

Repeated threats have forced the tollgate keepers on the Lancaster and Lexington turnpike in Garrard County to throw the gates open and abandon the collection of toll. Threats of burning and dynamiting the houses and murdering the keepers have been made. That is one of the best roads in Central Kentucky.

Garrard county turnpike raiders wrote an anonymous letter to Gatekeeper Shearer Monday commanding him to tear down his toll-gate and collect no more toll. County Judge Burnside has also received another threatening letter.

A gentleman from Stanford says the Lincoln county turnpike raiders have organized and notified the authorities that they are going to have free turnpikes, even if dynamite has to be used. They claim to have 707 oath-bound raiders, seven recruiting officers, seven captains, fourteen spies and a commander-in-chief. At a secret meeting Monday night a vote was carried to demolish a number of the principal gates in Lincoln county. Much excitement prevails, and guards have been put on duty at the various toll gates.

Don't miss seeing the fine millinery at Mrs. Geo. Rion's to-day and to-morrow.

Revenue Assignments For April.

AMONG Collector Shelby's internal revenue assignments for the month of April, are noted the following of interest to Paris readers: Storekeepers—P. Nippert, Jr., night, at W. A. Gaines & Co., Frankfort; G. P. McCann, W. A. Johnson, Charlton Morgan, day, Paris Distilling Co.; O. P. Carter, Jr., day, G. G. White & Co.; James Kelley, additional, W. A. Gaines & Co. Storekeepers and gangers—F. P. Davall, Bourbon County Distilling Co.; W. A. Johnson, Pointz Bros. Co.; H. S. Sinclair, Peacock Distilling Co.; Thompson Ware, J. R. McClesney, Paris Distilling Co., G. G. White Co.

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MRS. GEORGE RION's millinery display is attracting the admiring eyes of all the ladies to-day. Opening will also continue to-morrow.

Mrs. Rion's Special Days.

TO-DAY and to-morrow are special opening days at Mrs. Geo. Rion's millinery store. Miss Corbett, of Cincinnati, a popular, expert trimmer, has the Spring displays under her personal supervision. The ladies will be cordially received and handsomely repaid for the time spent at Mrs. Rion's. Remember, to-day and to-morrow are "Special Spring Opening" Days.

If you want to see a beautiful line of straw matings, call at J. T. Hinton's and you can be satisfied.

Inter-Collegiate Oratorical Contest.

THE annual inter-collegiate oratorical contest will be held to-night at the Lexington opera house. The contestants will be: John T. Haley, Kentucky State College, Lexington; J. N. Elliott, Kentucky University, Lexington; S. E. Curry, Centre College, Danville; Will P. Stuart, Georgetown College; R. S. Gordon, Central University, Richmond.

The judges will be Bishop Burton, of Lexington, Judge Holt, of Frankfort, and Prof. Taylor, of Louisville.

Confederate Meeting.

ALL members of the Confederate Veteran Association of Bourbon County are requested to meet in the County Court room on Monday afternoon, April 5, 1897, at 2 o'clock. Business of importance. Other Confederates invited.

A. T. FORSYTH,

V. P., Bourbon Co.

Diphtheria At Richmond.

A dispatch from Richmond says: "The Board of Health of this place has quarantined the city. Children under fourteen years of age are not allowed on the streets, and the police are in charge of all burials. This is the result of the diphtheria scare. Three deaths have occurred so far, and there are a number of serious cases now under treatment."

Buy your furniture where you can buy the best at the cheapest prices. Hinton's, the big house on the corner, is the place.

PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY THE NEWS MAN.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And Elsewhere.

—Mrs. W. W. Forman is seriously ill.

—Mrs. J. M. Hall spent yesterday in Lexington.

—Mr. P. I. McCarthy was in Cincinnati yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fee were in Cincinnati Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rion were in Cincinnati yesterday.

—Mrs. W. A. Johnson arrived home yesterday from Danville.

—Mrs. S. C. Jones, of Lexington, is visiting Mrs. A. S. Stout.

—Harold Johnson of Mt. Sterling, is in the city on a short visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Price and son are in Cincinnati on a short visit.

—Miss Margery Turney is visiting relatives at Seven Mile, Ohio.

—Hon. H. R. Kern, of St. Louis, is visiting his brother, J. E. Kern.

—Mr. Roger Lawson, of Cincinnati, was a visitor in Paris, Wednesday.

—Miss Jessie Kriener is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hornsey, in Lexington.

—Chas. Bishop arrived home Tuesday from a business trip through Tennessee.

—Stanley Watson, of Maysville, will start to Europe on a pleasure trip, July 1st.

—Mrs. M. E. Cunningham, of Higgins avenue, is visiting friends in Lexington.

—Mrs. Geo. Nippert, of Arlington Heights, Ohio, is visiting Mr. P. Nippert and family.

—Miss Frances Claybrook, of Hutchison, is the guest of Miss Fannie Mann, on Pleasant street.

—Mrs. Amos Turney and Miss Sallie Turney are visiting Mrs. Carrie Buckner, in Winchester.

—Judge J. Q. Ward attended a meeting of the Board of Curators of Central University, Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brooks attended the marriage of Miss Lucile Joplin, in Mt. Vernon, Wednesday.

—Mrs. Samuel Willis returned Wednesday to Pine Grove, after a visit to relatives in and near the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis have returned from a short visit to Mr. J. S. Withers and family in Cynthiana.

—Mrs. R. A. Woolams, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Letton, returned to Midway, Wednesday.

—Mrs. E. F. Spears and Miss Lizzie Spears and Mrs. W. E. Board were among the Parisians in Cincinnati, Wednesday.

—Col. E. F. Clay and Messrs. W. R. Thomas and Catesby Woodford attended the opening of the Newport race meeting yesterday.

—The Lexington Herald says: "Miss Lake Barnett and Miss Pattie Ware, of Paris, will be guests of Miss Elizabeth Warren from Friday until Monday."

—Mrs. E. B. Bishop and two pretty children arrived yesterday morning from Asheville, N. C., to spend the Summer with Mrs. Bishop's brother, Mr. G. S. Varden.

—The Violet Whist Club was entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Fannie Mann, at her home on Pleasant street. The young ladies present were: Misses Etta McClintock, Mamie McClintock, Sadie Davis, Lula Thompson, Bessie Holladay, Fannie Mann, Mamie Holladay, Mary Webb Gass, Frances Claybrook, (Hutchison), Mary Brent, Sadie Hart. The club will be entertained next Thursday by the Misses McClintock.

BRUSSELS carpets, 39 cents per yard, at J. T. Hinton's.

WHEN every woman knows that a dainty hat enhances ten fold her attractiveness every woman should know that Mrs. Cornay Watson will have on exhibition next Friday and Saturday beautiful millinery conceptions to harmonize with every color of eye, shade of hair and tint of complexion in the Bluegrass. Mrs. Watson during her recent trip to New York secured the choicest products of the best American and French milliners for her patrons.

Have you seen those straw cushions at J. T. Hinton's? They are the very things for your porches. Get some of them now.

ALL the ladies always want to know what is the proper thing in millinery. If you want to have the exact Spring styles, call to-day and to-morrow at Mrs. M. Parker's—special opening days.

SHERMAN SLIVERS has taken the agency for the Cincinnati Daily Times-Star, a most excellent paper, and will have it delivered to subscribers in any part of the city for six cents per week. He solicits your subscriptions. (tt)

PRICES on yarn carpets slaughtered at J. T. Hinton's.

NUPTIAL KNOTS.

Engagements, Announcements And Solennizations Of The Marriage Vows.

WILLIS Myers, aged seventy-six, married Miss Jane Adams, aged sixty-seven, at Lancaster.

E. D. Scott and Miss Laura P. West, both of Nicholas, were married yesterday morning by Eld. J. S. Sweeney, in the parlor of the St. Charles Hotel, in this city.

John M. Craycraft and Miss Mattie McConnell, both of the Ruddled Mills precinct, were married Wednesday night at the residence of Mr. Mussinon. The ceremony was performed by Eld. J. S. Sweeney.

Mr. Chas. Spillman and Miss Lucile Joplin were united in marriage Wednesday in a pretty home wedding at the home of the bride's father in Mt. Vernon. The groom is an excellent young gentleman and a prosperous farmer living near Nicholasville, and is to be congratulated upon winning such a charming life partner. The bride is a lovely young lady of superior attainments, and her refined manners and sweet disposition have made her a general favorite wherever she is known. She is a sister of Mrs. W. T. Brooks, of this city, and a large circle of Paris friends wish her much happiness.

TO-DAY and to-morrow have been set apart for exhibiting the Spring styles in millinery at Mrs. M. Parker's. Don't miss attending the openings.

OBITUARY.

Respectfully Dedicated To The Memory Of The Dead.

Judge James R. Jewell, aged sixty, died Tuesday morning at Lexington. He was a power in politics in that place, and a staunch Democrat. He held the office of Police Judge at the time of his death, and had Monday been nominated for re-election.

BIRTHS.

The Advent Of Our Future Men And Women.

In this city Wednesday night to the wife of Dr. Frank Fithian, nee Miss Macie White, a son.

MRS. M. PARKER extends a cordial invitation to all the ladies to call to-day and to-morrow and see her Spring millinery.

Mrs. Corne Watson's

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MILLINERY OPENING,

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

April 9 and 10.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY,

April 9 and 10.

Public Sale

—OF—

Stock & Farm Implements.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 1897, the following stock and farming implements:

1 8-yr-old rockaway gelding;
1 brown mare mule, 8 yrs. old, good worker;
1 bay mare by Bismark;
1 2-yr-old colt by Earlmont;
1 pair 2-yr-old uncles;
6 extra Jersey cows, fresh;
2 nice Jersey heifers, yearlings;
1 nice Poland-China boar;
3 nice brood sows, pig in May;
1 Shorthorn bull;
1 buggy;
1 Deering mower;
1 Sulky hay rake;
And a number of other things too tedious to mention.

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Ladies and Children's full seam-

less Hosiery, at 10c and 15c. Others get 25c for the same goods. Our domestic stock is the best assorted, and decidedly the cheapest.

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AN AWAKENING.

BY PAUL DANDY.

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It was the building of the Juniata, Slatertown & Mercerville railroad that woke up Hank Black, but it was a few words said by a girl that thought a good deal of at that time that first disturbed his sleep, so to speak. I happened to be in Graham's store, over in Slatertown, when Hank was disturbed, and I heard the disturbing words.

It was one Saturday night in August, some 12 years ago, Graham's store was crowded, inside and out. There must have been 40 or 50 in the store in front of the counters and twice as many on the sidewalk, waiting their turn to go in and buy. Behind the counters, besides Hank Black, Graham himself was working away in his shirtsleeves, Mrs. Graham was helping the best she could, and then there was Lucetta Allen, Mrs. Graham's unmarried sister.

It was close that night outside—seemed as if the heat from the sunshine or a mighty hot midsummer day had kind of got tangled up in the air like—and inside 'twas worse, for there was half a dozen kerosene lamps burning and the room was full of smoke from cheap cigars and clay pipes. Inside and out everybody was talking, mostly about nothing at all, as folks do when they go to the store, and Lucetta was pouring out some aniline dye while Hank was tying up sugar. I was standing by the counter, close to Hank and Lucetta, when she said, suddenly:

"There he is, Hank; and he is somebody. He can do things. You'd best look hard at him and see a man for once in your life."

Hank turned quick and upset the dye into the sugar barrel, and I got so interested in the mixup that I only got a glimpse of the chap the girl referred to. He didn't look to be much of a man to me, and I should never have given him a second thought, only for what I'd heard Lucetta say, though he did look different from the Slatertown young men. He was one of the civil engineers that was laying out the new railroad. Hank was so busy then that he didn't find out much about the chap till the next day, and then Lucetta told him.

Like most young fellows in Slatertown, Hank had a spry young horse and a buggy. Every Sunday afternoon he used to take Lucetta out in the buggy, and the next day he took her out as usual. Now, it so happened that this was the day he had fixed on to say something very particular to the young woman, and they hadn't gone very far before he said it. I don't know the language he used, but it amounted to asking her to marry him, though he took an awful long time to do it, and Lucetta, who was bound not to say a word till he had finished, thought he'd never stop. I know pretty nearly what she said to him, for she told me that very night, she being my cousin, and I being something like an older brother to her.

"I just turned and looked at him a little while, Cousin Jim, and then I told him something."

"Hank Black," I said, "you ought to be ashamed of yourself. You want to wake up before you ask any girl to marry you."

"Hank seemed a good deal surprised, and then I said, further: 'You think you are doing well because you're clerk in Graham's store, the biggest in Slatertown, and the whole valley, for that matter, and you feel sort of rich because you're got a horse and buggy and a little money in the savings bank and your wages have been raised from \$300 a year to \$250 a month. All that seems worth while to you. But that young chap that came into the store last night seems almost as much in a month as you do in a year, and he isn't any brighter than you, either. He's awake, though. He is a man in the world. But you—you are asleep. You are like a beetle in its hole.'"

"When I got that far," the girl continued, "Hank braced up long enough to ask me if I thought the young engineer better looking or better natured than he was. But I wouldn't gratify him by telling him what I thought on those points, and I didn't say much more about anything. If I had I'd have cried, so I just asked him to drive home; and he did, without ever speaking a word."

When Lucetta had finished telling me about her talk with Hank I asked her to explain herself. But she made no explanation. She just turned a pair of big, blazing eyes on me, and said if I wanted to make out that I was as stupid as Hank I might try it, but she knew better.

Next day Hank quit. He said he'd had "enough clerking it in his," and advised Graham to find another man right away. Then Hank did what I thought was the dumbest thing he was ever guilty of. He never said good-by to Lucetta, but he went and hunted up that engineer and asked him if he didn't want to hire a chainman.

The engineer looked Hank over and asked him if his horse and buggy would go with him. Hank said it would, and was hired on the spot. That job lasted Hank most a year, during which he worked like a slave for two dollars a day, dragging chain and doing all sorts of odd jobs for the engineer, hauling him around in the buggy, and actually lending his rig for the engineer to take Lucetta driving. But never once did Hank himself speak or bow to her again. He didn't even let on that he knew there was such a girl, and once, when I thought, like a fool, that I could straighten things out by talking to him about her, he said that

the only Lucetta Allen he'd ever known was dead, and I wished I hadn't opened my mouth.

When the engineer told the young man he had no further use for him, Hank broke all up. It was only for a minute, though, and then he asked the engineer why he couldn't take him along to his next job to make an engineer of him.

"Make an engineer of you, you thick-headed young cub? No one could do that. You're a good hand to lug chains and drive a buggy horse, but time isn't long enough to educate you."

I'd got acquainted with the engineer long before that. He wasn't a bad sort of chap, but he kind of looked down on folks that hadn't as much education as he had. He told me about Hank's wanting to be an engineer, and it tickled him a lot.

I began to see how the land lay, and I was going to hunt Hank up again, when one day he came into the post office here and said he wanted to talk with me all alone. Hank's a distant cousin of mine, too, you know, though he's no relation to Lucetta Allen.

Well, Hank made a clean breast of all his feelings to me. He said he'd found out that to be somebody he'd got to have an education. And he'd got to be somebody just to spite Lucetta, if for no other reason. He didn't want to marry her, as he had once, but he did want to show her that he could amount to something. He had sold his horse and buggy, and he had \$250 altogether, or thereabouts. He didn't know how much education he could get for that, but he was going to use it all up, and if it took more money would I lend him some till he could earn enough, being an engineer, to pay up?

I told him to come again a week later, and then I drove over the hills to Slatertown and talked with Lucetta. She begged me to help Hank, and insisted on giving me \$100 of her own money, which I was to let him have without telling him where it came from. I just had to take it, but I didn't let Hank have it. I handed it in her name, and then I told Hank to go ahead and go to school. He must earn as much as he could, but if his earnings and his savings fell short he could write to me and I wouldn't see him fail for the lack of a few dollars.

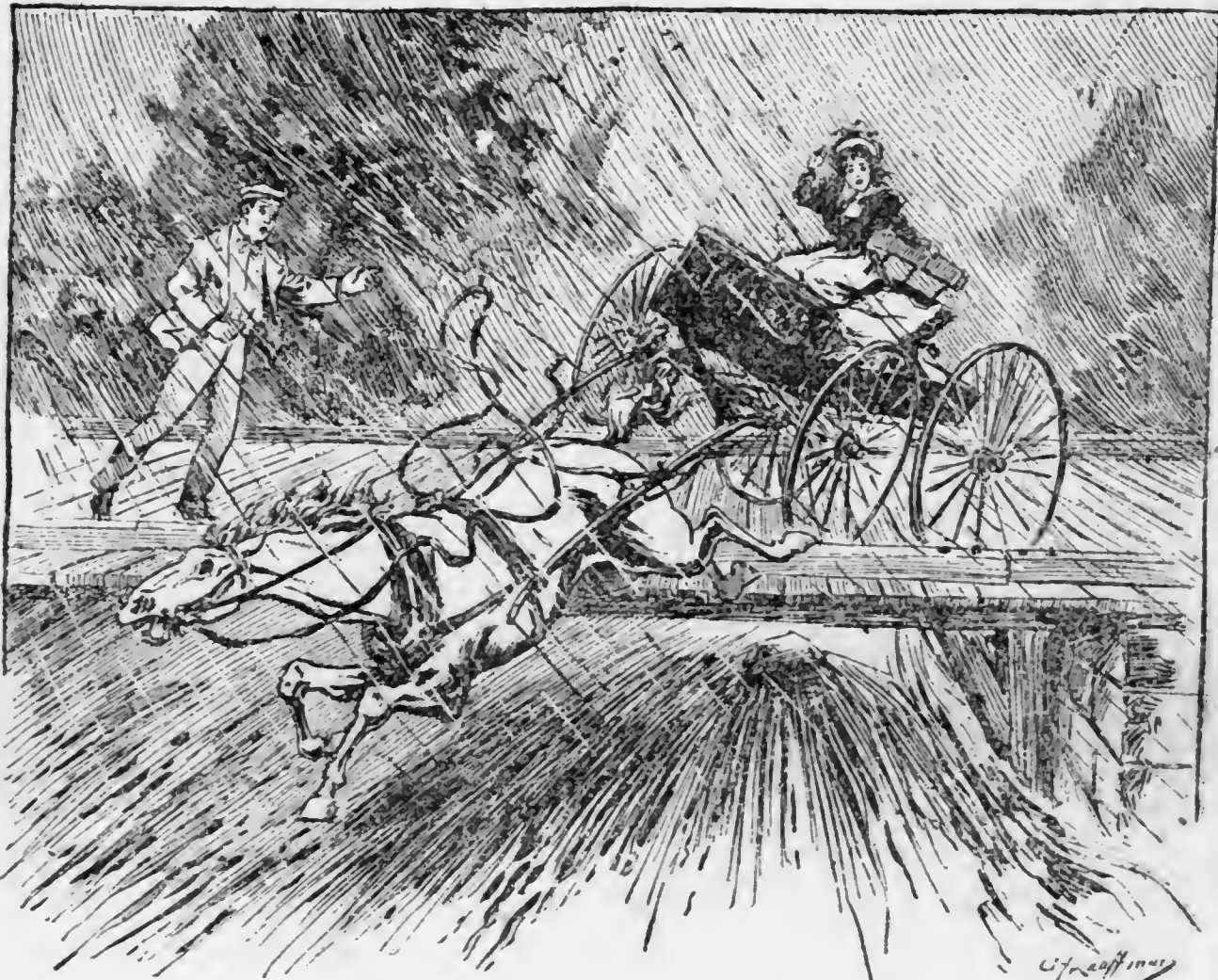
Well, he had a hard time of it. When

Quicker than I can tell you, he had cut the laces of his shoes, kicked them off, and jumped into that awful stream of yellow water, and was swimming for the girl. The buggy hadn't been upset, for a wonder, and she sat on the seat, clenching the reins tight in her hands as she floated down the stream, her face as white as a ghost and actually scared out of her senses, her eyes looking straight ahead, but seeing nothing.

The force of the current was a good deal stronger than Hank thought it was, and it rolled and tumbled him over and over a hundred times, it seemed to him, before he got to the buggy. He finally reached it all right, however, and not knowing what else to do, climbed up on the seat beside of Lucetta. Just then the horse that had made all the mischief began to struggle, and in a moment the buggy went over and threw them into the water. Hank remembers that just before the buggy upset he heard a frightful crash up-stream, and surmised that the bridge had been carried away, as indeed it had; and that was what caused Hank most of the trouble that was to come. The buggy must have floated down stream much slower than the current was running, and that was natural enough, seeing that it was pretty heavy and the wheels reached down so far, probably, as to drag on the bottom.

Anyway, the pieces of the broken bridge came down enough faster than the buggy, so that just as the young chap had got to swimming strong for the shore, a piece of lumber hit him and knocked both of them clean under the water. Hank told me afterward that he was as clear-headed as ever he was in his life while he was under water, and he remembers perfectly how he came to the surface with Lucetta on his arm. After that he doesn't know what he did, but in some way he got to shore and took Lucetta with him. Then he fainted away with the pain, for the beam that had struck him had broken his left arm. By that time Lucetta had gained her senses, and she called for help till some one came and took them both away. Hank to my house and Lucetta to Graham's.

I thought they'd be reconciled then, but they weren't. Neither would hear



PLUNGED INTO THE MUDDY WATER.

he got to the polytechnic institute, where they turn out engineers in "assorted lots," he found that he couldn't get into the school till he had done a lot of preliminary studying; had to go through a preparatory school or academy and find out about the whole parcel of things he'd never even heard the names of. But he settled down to his work like a good fellow and wrote to me regular. After he'd been a year in the preparatory school, where he was the oldest of the lot, being past 21, he was ready to take the polytechnic examinations all right, and he went through with colors flying. The professors told me he had done more studying and gone faster than anyone they'd ever had in the school before. But it most killed him. It took all the red out of his face; it made his hands white, and the muscles in his arms soft, and I was afraid he was going to die. So I got him to come here for vacation, and here he saw Lucetta again.

He wouldn't have seen her, though, if it hadn't been for the big storm that came up sudden one day in July. Both he and the girl had declared they wouldn't meet for worlds, and I thought best to humor them, particularly as my wife agreed with me that I'd better. Hank was out fishing that day, and it happened that he was under the short bridge not far from Slatertown when the storm came up. Maybe you remember it. Anyway, it was the worst storm we ever had here. It was something like a western cloud-burst. I guess. There was plenty of hail, and the water came down in barrelsful—not drops. It wasn't half an hour before the creek was so full that Hank had to get out from under his shelter in a hurry. In no time he was drenched, and he was wondering where to find cover when he saw a horse and buggy coming on the other side of the stream, as if the evil one was in pursuit, straight for the bridge. One glance showed him it was a runaway, and another that the driver was Lucetta. He saw the horse was coming across the bridge and he braced himself to stop the runaway, but before the bridge was crossed the horse shied suddenly and jumped right into that roaring torrent of muddy water. You know there was no rail to the short bridge. Then Hank showed that he had plenty of nerve, and wasn't afraid of a little flood whether he was somebody or not.

There wasn't half a chance—in a thousand for him to save her, and he'd have known it if he'd ever stopped to think, which I don't suppose he did.

to seeing the other, and when his arm was well it was time for Hank to go back to school. That fall Lucetta started out to get an education, too.

"Hank will be somebody, sure enough," Cousin Jim," she said, "and, though I never want to see him again, even if he did save my life, I propose to be his equal and more if I can."

She was two years younger than he, and so not yet 20, and, being bright and quick, she got on very fast at school, the same as Hank did.

Well, to cut it short, Hank got through the polytechnic in a year less than the regular time, and was sent right away to South America to lay out railroads and build bridges there. It was queer enough, after he had been there a couple of years, that this same engineer that had made him all the trouble at first was put on his staff in a subordinate position, but so it was, and Hank has told me two or three times in his letters that the fellow accepted the situation like a gentleman, though it did seem to gail him a little.

Lucetta finished her schooling with colors flying, too. I had to lead her a little money to help her through, besides returning her own that she tried to let Hank have, but she's paid me back all right from the sale of her books. You see, she found out at school that she could write for print, and she's doing pretty well now. I don't think Hank knows about that, for he forbade me to write to him about Lucetta. You see, I'm the only correspondent he has from here, and Lucetta has always written over the name of "Mrs. Margate," so that he shouldn't know.

No; they haven't seen each other since the big storm when he saved her from drowning. He is past 30 now, and she's 28 and both are still single. There was stories that he had married a "senorita" of the country he is in, but he says it isn't so; and Lucetta has said "no" to half a dozen.

Do I think they'll ever meet again? Yes, I do, and right here in this post office, too, next summer. Hank is coming back to the states, and Lucetta is going to pass the summer with my wife and me, and we're going to see if we can't keep two folks we know of, from carrying a certain piece of foolishness too far.

Largest Steel Plate.

A steel plate has just been turned out by an English firm that is said to be the largest ever made. After shearing it measures 76 feet 8 inches by 5 feet, and is six-tenths of an inch thick; it is without a flaw and weighs 3 1/2 tons.

HOUSING THE LONDON POOR.

Slum Localities Giving Place to Healthful Tenements.

Americans must turn to Europe if they wish to study the reforms connected with the government to provide better homes for those who can pay but little rent. Of course, the benefits to be gained from more comfortable and healthful tenements for the poor are confined to any one class of the community. The evils of unsuitable and unsanitary surroundings, of disease, dirt and extreme poverty, fall upon a whole city or neighborhood. The entire population may rejoice to see an old rookery swept away to make room for something more wholesome and comfortable, and to let in the purifying sun and air. When some filthy old shell goes down, where misery has been familiar for many years and crime has lurked in its shadow, even a Gradgrind ought to be able to count the economic gains though not concerned about the moral advantages.

The London county council, in co-operation with the local boards of administration of the parishes, is giving more attention to this subject than ever before. Within the last few years important streets have been opened throughout slum localities, a double gain, it will be noticed, for the inhabitants of the crowded city. One of the leading improvements now in hand is in the slum district, 15 acres in extent, around the group of railway stations in Shoreditch. Six thousand people, including many factory laborers, live in this region. Its death date is 40 per 1,000—more than double the average. The county council is engaged in the work, to occupy two years, of clearing away the noxious tenements and abolishing the crooked, narrow lanes and courts. A fine, new street, 60 feet wide, lined with shops and tenements, will be the approach. It will run into a large central park, from which seven 50-foot streets will radiate. A mound for a band stand in the park will be made from the earth excavated from foundations.

In this improvement no less than 730 wretched houses, occupied by 5,700 people, have been cleared away. The tenants thus dispossessed have been provided with homes in neat cottages conveniently located, under the direct supervision of the London officials. A tenant now pays for a new two or three room flat from \$1.25 to \$2.50 a week, and for a four-room flat, with an outlook on the mound, three dollars a week. One rule enforced by the council is that rents shall not exceed the old average collected in the rookeries, and the officials expect that the new order of things will pay steam laundry, to be used by families in common on the payment of a small fee. The laundry building has two large rooms to afford pleasant quarters to a workmen's club. On the area to be rebuilt sanitary dwellings will be erected to accommodate 4,700 persons.

The net cost of clearing this large slum district and preparing the site anew is \$1,400,000. About \$1,300,000 additional will be expended on the new dwellings. In 60 years the council expects to have paid off all the debt incurred in the undertaking and to be the free owner of the whole area, without calling on taxpayers for any of the money used in rebuilding. Some of the private philanthropists of London are active in a similar line of reform, one of them having lately erected a large lodging-house for men in needy circumstances. But only a municipality can handle the slum problem in a large way, and what London has already accomplished deserves general attention. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

COSTLY TRAVELING.

Big Outlay on a Trip Across the Continent.

One of Boston's well-known tourist agents was in a reminiscent mood the other day and related a number of remarkable incidents that had come under his observation during the time he had been connected with his present line of business. Perhaps the most interesting one related to a visit he had not long ago from a comparatively young man, who appeared to be in a great hurry. He rushed into the office of the agency and without ado inquired the cost of a private palace coach to southern California and back. The suddenness of this somewhat extraordinary request almost took the breath out of the agent and it was a moment or two before he collected himself to make reply.

"All for yourself?" inquired the agent.

"Yes, all for myself," with an air of indifference.

"I can't give you the exact figures, but I should say between \$15,000 and \$16,000."

"That's all right. I shall want it next Thursday morning fully equipped for the long journey."

"What name, please?"

The young man passed the agent his card and without further question the bargain was consummated.

A month afterward the agent received a check from his affluent customer for \$18,000, with an accompanying note to the effect that the trip had been greatly enjoyed and that the price was every way satisfactory.

"You see," continued the agent, "that occasionally we get a windfall and that our wealthy people are bound to get the best that's going at whatever cost." —Boston Herald.

Kind-Hearted People.

Eastern Man (looking for a new location)—What kind of a population have you here?

Dugout City Resident—Best sort, mister. I just tell you there ain't no softer-hearted people west of the Missouri than lives in this ere community. "Benevolent, eh?"

"Benevolent? Just runnin' over with the milk of human kindness. Why, six at our lyceum bees we allers gives the feller the choice of hangin' or shootin'." —N. Y. Weekly.

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FALL 1896.

FULL stock of Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Grape Vines, Small Fruits, Asparagus and everything for the Orchard, Lawn and Garden. We employ no agents. Try us on prices and see the difference between those of a grower and dealer. Catalogue on application to

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U. S. REVENUE STAMPS WANTED

BY

T. L. GREEN, County Clerk, Mt. Olivet, Ky.

I want to buy for cash the following U. S. Revenue stamps, either canceled or uncanceled, at the prices annexed when stamps are sent in good condition:

1 cent Express, red, imperforate.....	Each
1 cent Express, red, part perforate.....	5 cents
1 cent Playing Cards, red, imperforate.....	50 cents
1 cent Playing Cards, red, part perforate.....	50 cents
1 cent Proprietary, red, part perforate.....	10 cents
1 cent Telegraph, red, imperforate.....	50 cents
2 cent Bank Check, blue, part perforate.....	5 cents
2 cent Certificate, blue, imperforate.....	5 cents
2 cent Certificate, blue, full perforate.....	10 cents
2 cent Express, blue, imperforate.....	5 cents
2 cent Express, blue, part perforate.....	10 cents
2 cent Playing Cards, blue, imperforate.....	50 cents
2 cent Playing Cards, orange.....	10 cents
2 cent Proprietary, blue, imperforate.....	15 cents
2 cent Proprietary, blue, part perforate.....	15 cents
2 cent Proprietary, orange, full perforate.....	15 cents
3 cent Playing Card, green, imperforate.....	25 cents
3 cent Playing Card, green, full perforate.....	25 cents
3 cent Telegraph, green, imperforate.....	10 cents
4 cent Playing Card, violet, perforate.....	50 cents
4 cent Proprietary, violet, part perforate.....	10 cents
5 cent Express, red, imperforate.....	10 cents
5 cent Express, red, part perforate.....	10 cents
5 cent Proprietary, orange, perforate.....	25 cents
10 cent Bill of Lading, blue, imperforate.....	15 cents
10 cent Bill of Lading, blue, part perforate.....	15 cents
25 cent Bond, imperforate.....	90 cents
50 cent Inland Exchange, imperforate.....	25 cents
50 cent Probate of Will, imperforate.....	\$1.25
70 cent Foreign Exchange, green, imperforate.....	25 cents
81 Life Insurance, imperforate.....	21
81 Manifest, imperforate.....	\$1.10
81 Mortgage, full perforate.....	\$1.25
1 00 Passbook, imperforate.....	1 30
1 30 Foreign Exchange, orange, imperforate.....	3 00
1 30 Foreign Exchange, maroon.....	4 00
3 00 Inland Exchange, imperforate.....	5 00
5 00 Probate of Will, imperforate.....	7 00
50 00 Probate of Will, imperforate.....	50 00
1 30 Blue and Black.....	1 30
1 00 Blue and Black.....	2 00
5 cent Black and Green, proprietary.....	5 cents
6 cent Black and Green, proprietary.....	6 cents
10 cent Black and Green, proprietary.....	5
50 cent Black and Green, proprietary.....	3 0
1 00 Black and Green, proprietary.....	5 00
5 00 Black and Green, proprietary.....	15 00

I also wish to buy old canceled postage stamps and stamped envelopes of any and all denominations from 1890 to 1895, for which I will pay liberal prices. Address

T. L. GREEN, County Clerk, Mt. Olivet, Ky.

NOTE: The above named stamps can be found on Deeds, Mortgages, Notes, Receipts, Agreements, Bank Checks, etc., from 1861 to 1895, also on Proprietary Medicines, Matches, etc.

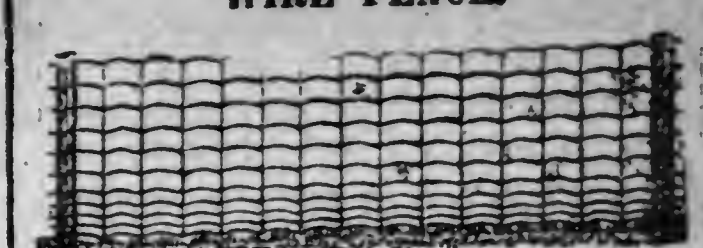
The foregoing offer is genuine—made in good faith, and will be carried out to the letter in every instance when I receive the stamps I have mentioned in good order. Reference, Mt. Olivet Deposit Bank or any official of Robertson county.

T. L. GREEN, County Clerk.

Can't tell you all about the new styles, designs, beautiful and useful, endless variety, low prices, superior quality and fine workmanship of our goods in this limited space, but we want you to write for our new Illustrated Catalogue. It is the largest and best catalogue we ever published. Ask for it. It contains about 200 pages, and cost lots of money and time; but you can have one free. We have added a fine line of BICYCLES at lowest prices.

ALLIANCE CARRIAGE CO., Cincinnati, Ohio.

THE PAGE COILED SPRING WOVEN WIRE FENCE.



MILLER & COLLINS, Agents, PARIS, KENTUCKY.

This is a smooth fence that will turn any kind of stock. It is made from the best hard steel drawn specially for the purpose.

HOW IT IS MADE. The large steel wires forming the horizontal bars are first coiled around a 1 inch rod, thus practically becoming COILED SPRINGS their entire length. These are securely tied together by 10 cross bars to the rod. The cross bars are best quality of annealed wire (galvanized), wrapped three times around each horizontal bar.

ITS ADVANTAGES. Being a SELF REGULATOR it is ALWAYS ready for business, slacks up for 30 below as cheerfully as it takes a new grip for 90 in the shade, gently, but firmly persuades a runaway team to reconsider its action. An unruly bull is safe as a canary in its cage; it saith unto the festive hog, "thus far shalt thou go." The fierce wind and drifting snow pass by and it heeds them not. There is no terror in the locomotive spark. The trespasser is not led into temptation, and the rail stealer's "occupation is gone." The hired man and the lagging tramp, alike scorn it proffered shade. Like the model housewife, when well supported, it is always neat and tidy.

THREE POSTS TO THE 100 FEET. Economy is not our sole object in placing posts for farm fence at the unusual distance of 20 to 30 feet apart. Farmers say, "the closer the posts the better the fence." That may apply to common fences, but depending largely on its elasticity we PREFER the long panel. For cemeteries, lawns, yards, etc., they should of course be nearer, 12 to 20 feet is not objectionable.

We have completed (and are now building) a lot of this fence for Bourbon farmers and you can examine into its merits for yourself. Estimates cheerfully furnished. You may put up the posts and we will build the fence, or we will contract to do the whole job. If you are needing any fence, see us. We will save you money and still build you the best fence made. Respectfully,

MILLER & COLLINS, PARIS, KY.

The Page Wire Fence in Bourbon.

MILLERSBURG, KY., May 4, '96. MESSRS. MILLER & COLLINS, Agents, Paris, Kentucky.

Gentlemen:—I have had the Page Woven Wire Fence on my farm for about eighteen months and am well pleased with it. It has proved to be all that is claimed for it. It turns all kinds of stock and is as tight as it was the day it was put up and has stood some severe tests. A horse of one of my neighbors fell across the fence a few months ago and was not taken off for several hours but when taken off the fence went back to its place all right with the exception of a few staples. During the storm of April 24th a good-sized tree was blown across the fence and bent it down to the ground. As soon as the tree was cast off the fence went up all right and was as good as ever with the exception of one broken wire and a few staples out of place.

I am so well pleased with the fence that I am going to put up more of it right away. Respectfully,

(5my-1f) WM. BECRAFT.

LOCUST POSTS.

We are prepared to furnish (at reasonable prices) locust posts by the carload. Delivered at your nearest railroad station.

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CLOTHES CLEANED & REPAIRED.

WE have employed a first-class, experienced tailor to take charge of our cleaning, repairing and pressing department. Work done on short notice. Our prices are lower than others and we will do your work right.

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H. S. STOUT, Manager.

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THE FARMING WORLD.

ORCHARD PARASITES.

Valuable Discovery to Fruit Growers Reported from Missouri.

The Missouri experiment station has made extensive experiments with different methods of killing the woolly aphid or apple root plant louse, regarded as one of the worst, if not the worst, enemy to the apple orchards of the southern half of Missouri.

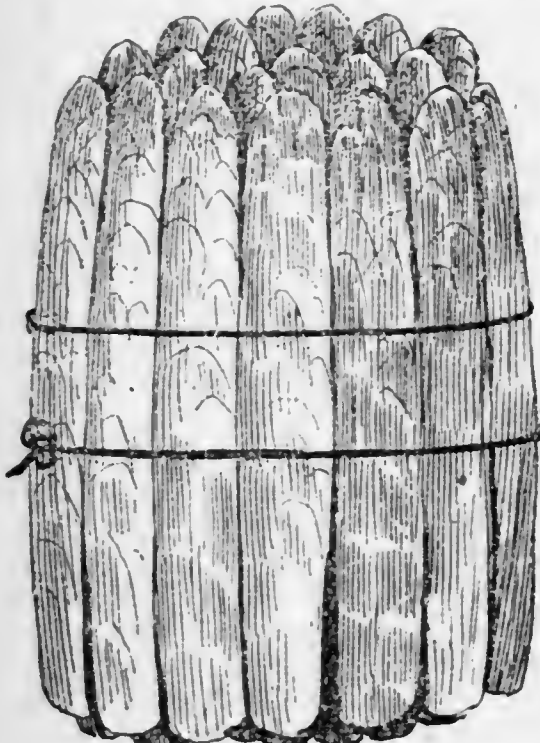
The following is a brief summary of the discoveries made:

The limb form of this insect can be readily killed by one or two thorough sprayings with strong kerosene emulsion. Apple seedlings, buds, and grafts should be planted in a small trench filled with finely powdered tobacco or tobacco dust and lightly covered with earth. This will keep the woolly aphid away. Apple nursery stock should have a liberal supply of tobacco dust applied to the roots every spring, in order to kill the woolly aphid and prevent it from establishing itself there. It should be applied by removing some of the earth from around the roots, filling the excavation with tobacco dust, and lightly covering it with earth. Newly cleared timber land should be cultivated in corn or other crop for two years before the apple trees are set out, in order to kill the woolly aphid that may be on the roots of the wild crab and allied trees. Apple nursery stock should have the roots cleaned and dipped for a minute in strong kerosene emulsion, in order to kill the woolly aphid that may be there. In planting apple trees tobacco dust should be freely used among and over all the roots, and close around the trunk, in order to kill and prevent the woolly aphid from establishing itself there. Every spring, as soon as settled warm weather appears, each tree should have a liberal supply of tobacco dust applied to its roots by removing the earth from around the trunk for a distance of two feet and four inches in depth, evenly filling this with the tobacco dust and covering it with earth. The root form of the woolly aphid may be cheaply and easily killed and kept away from an apple tree by the liberal use of tobacco dust. About five or six pounds of this substance should be applied as above directed to the roots of every infested tree, and one-half this amount should be applied in a similar manner each succeeding spring, costing approximately two cents per tree per year.

RAISING ASPARAGUS.

Some Varieties Which Have Given General Satisfaction.

A conveniently-sized bed is about six feet wide with a path two feet wide on each side. This will require six rows one foot apart and a bed of that width 50 feet long will be ample for an ordinary family, requiring about one pound of seed. It will require about three years from the time of sowing until the bed is in full bearing, but once established is good for 20 years. It should be sown in drills one foot apart and when the plants are four or five inches high they should be thinned out so that the plants will be nine inches apart from each other in all the rows. Great care must be taken for the first year to keep down all weeds as soon as they appear, else they will choke up and destroy the young seedling asparagus.



THE PALMETTO ASPARAGUS.

The deeper the soil and the greater abundance of manure that is used the greater will be the crop. Until the Palmetto was brought out, Conover's Colossal was the leading sort, and justly so; but Palmetto is not only much earlier, but is also a better yielder and is more even and regular in its growth, and must eventually supplant the old favorite. Average bunches, containing 15 shoots, measure 13 inches round and weigh about two pounds. The Palmetto has now been planted in all parts of the country and appears to be equally adapted to all sections.—Farm and Home.

Some Hints About Pruning.

Intelligent horticulturists have almost given up trying to educate the public to put away the hatchet, saw, shears and to a great extent the pruning knife, and to do all with the finger and thumb in May and June. In the old world this knowledge is more diffused. Writing of orange culture in Italy, one of our consuls says that there the object aimed at in pruning is to bring the greatest surface of the tree possible to the direct action of air and light. The spherical form is considered best. To keep this form, shoots are pinched off in June each year. In the early spring weak and dead wood, and forgotten useless shoots, are cut out to let the light and air in among the branches; a sharp knife must be used.—Western Ploverman.

Exports of American Cheese.

The cheese business in the United States has not had the attention and encouragement which it should have, while our Canadian neighbors have given this branch of the dairy interest a great deal more attention. During the last fiscal year there was exported from Canada \$14,253,002 worth of cheese. In the same period there was exported from the United States \$5,497,539 worth. It was not because we have had a market at home for our cheese, but because Canadian cheese is better than the American.

CALVES FOR THE DAIRY.

L. A. Keene Tells How He Raised Profitable Animals.

Our method of raising calves intended for work in the dairy herd commences with the breeding. We aim to get a good rosy animal and depend more on transmission than upon any special care in raising. But we take good care of the young things, for on this depends largely the future usefulness of the dairy cow. Care is taken that the pens are kept clean and well bedded, and sunlight, bright hay and clean water are supplied.

The calves are usually weaned from their dams when five days old; they learn to drink readily at that age. They are then fed on new or whole milk for at least one month, from which they are changed onto skimmed milk. They are taught to eat oatmeal at a very early age and they are given all the oats they will clean up with a little oil-meal added. At three months old and afterward they are given a small allowance of corn in addition to the oat ration. Thus they are fed during the first year.

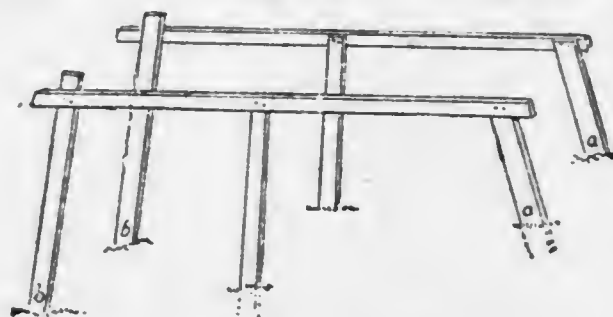
I want them in good growing condition, but they must not get excessively fat, for bone, muscle and a good constitution, coupled with good strong digestion, are what is wanted in the dairy cow. We are now growing a machine into which we can safely feed our corn and oats and have it converted into milk and butter. During the winter of the second year, having made good growth, these young heifers are fed all the bright hay they will eat with two or three quarts of cut ear corn. Usually we have sweet corn.

They are bred to drop their first calves at 28 to 30 months old. These young cows are stabled by themselves and carefully handled—in fact, the dairy cows should all be pet cows—and we find them ever ready to convert liberal quantities of feed into rich milk. We keep well in mind the fact that they must now be fed so as to make good growth as well as good butter.—Dakota Field and Farm.

LIFTING HAY RACKS.

A Device That Does Away with Much Hard Work.

To facilitate taking off hay racks from wagons, and to replace them again, which is frequently connected with a good deal of unnecessary heavy lifting, Howard Walton, Yamhill county, Ore., has devised a contrivance, a sketch of which is given herewith, which works practically automatically, without any labor whatsoever. It consists merely



FOR LIFTING HAY RACKS.

of six posts firmly set in the ground with two pieces of two by eight lumber about two feet longer than the hay rack. The crosspieces of the rack must be fastened very firmly to hold the weight of the body as the pieces slip on the longitudinal bars. When the contrivance is to be used, the top of the bars should be greased. When the rack is to be taken off, a team is driven through the roadway at a. The posts are just high enough to catch the crosspieces of the rack and, as the team proceeds the rack will be lifted until it is all safely landed on the frame. Provision must be made not to have the body of the rack fit the bolsters of the wagon too tightly, so that there may be no danger of breaking in taking it off. In putting the rack on again, the wagon is backed into the roadway from b until the end of the wagon is under the back end of the rack, then tie the rack to the bolster, back again and the rack is on.—American Agriculturist.

ROADS IN ENGLAND.

How They are Kept in Repair All the Year Around.

English roads are good because they are well built and well cared for, is the conclusion arrived at by a writer who has been investigating the subject. He says that they are the finest anywhere in the world. Some of the highways leading out of Bath were made by the Romans, and all of the other highways are of scientific construction, with deep foundations and ample provisions for draining. Besides, they receive constant supervision and care. Every county council has a standing committee of roads, which takes charge of the highways and keeps them in repair. The committee is divided into sub-committees, each of which is assigned a district.

There is an inspector for each division, who employs a force of road menders and holds each responsible for the portion of a road assigned to him. The road mender lives in a cottage on the line of the highway, which he is required to keep in order. He goes over the road every day and removes in a barrow everything that is unsightly. After each heavy rain he looks out for breaks, and mends them by dumping loads of flint where needed. Supplies of flint are kept along the roads at intervals, ready for the use of the road mender. He watches the road the year around, and if there is any neglect he receives a sharp warning from the inspector. This is the English system of maintaining good roads, and it will be necessary to have a similar system in this country before the roads here will compare with those of the older country.

How to Cultivate Beets.

Beets thrive best in soils that are rather light and well enriched. The seed should be sown in drills one foot or fifteen inches apart and one inch deep, as early as the ground can be worked. When the plants are large enough thin out to stand six inches apart in rows, and keep the patch well cultivated. An ounce of seed will sow about 50 feet of drill, and it takes from five to six pounds to the acre.—Dakota Field and Farm.

SAVED FROM RABIES.

Banker W. B. Hunt Goes to Paris and Escapes Hydrophobia.

W. B. Hunt, a prominent banker of Eatonton, Ga., has just escaped an attack of that dreadful disease known as rabies. Mr. Hunt passed through Atlanta on his way home, after spending several weeks in Paris. When he left Eatonton a few weeks ago his life was in imminent danger, and it was a race for his life that he made to Paris.

Banker Hunt was giving a cat medicine at his home, when he was badly bitten by the animal. He suspected that the cat had hydrophobia, and he immediately set sail for Paris, to receive treatment in the celebrated Pasteur institute in that city. After undergoing a number of very severe and painful operations he is again home well and saved from that disease that would surely have caused his death, he thinks.

Extensible Broom Handle.

A means for lengthening broom handles consists of a simple metal coupling with two holes passing through the entire length for the reception of a broom handle, and means for coupling the same, thus enabling housewives to utilize old broom handles and to brush ceilings, walls and places above the reach of the ordinary broom.

Debts in Connecticut.

The total county, city, town and borough indebtedness in Connecticut is \$24,581,000.

A Wonderful Combination.

Being the only manufacturers of both guns and ammunition in the world the Winchester Repeating Arms Co., New Haven, Ct., are enabled to keep their guns apace with new ammunition and their ammunition apace with new guns. In this way by using Winchester goods, shooters can be certain of getting guns and ammunition of the highest degree of excellence and most improved type. As the unapproachable reputation of the Winchester guns depends upon the ammunition used in them, the Winchester are obliged to keep the standard of their ammunition as near perfection as possible. Shooters who want the best results can get them by using Winchester guns and Winchester ammunition. Send for a large illustrated catalogue free.

"It's all over"—the sky.—Golden Days. I'd rather be most any man. In history's class or fame's bright bands Than Atlas, for he always had A world of trouble on his hands.

Milton Reizenstein, a graduate student of the Johns Hopkins University, of Baltimore, has prepared a monograph as a thesis for a degree which he expects to receive next June. He has chosen for his subject the history of the B. & O. R. R. from its inception on the night of February 12th, 1827, when 25 of the leading business men of Baltimore met at the home of Philip E. Thomas and devised means whereby the trade of Baltimore with the West could be restored. It was at this meeting that the company was organized which afterwards built the B. & O. R. R. Mr. Reizenstein's monograph takes up the history of the road from that night until tracks were laid to Wheeling, W. Va., in 1833. The 70th anniversary of the B. & O. R. R. Co. was February 12th, 1897.

Mamma—"Where's papa?" Flora—"He's downstairs." Mamma—"What's he doing?" Flora—"His bicycle is out of breath, and he's giving it some more."

Reforms Need More Than a Day To bring them about, and are always more complete and lasting when they proceed with steady regularity to a consummation. Few of the observant among us can have failed to notice the permanently beneficial changes in the human system are not wrought by abrupt and violent means, and that those are the most salutary medicines which are progressive. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the chief of these. Dyspepsia, a disease of obstinate character, is obliterated by it.

The baby said (and gave that yell Which makes his father scowl), "I may not be a howling swell, But I'm a swelling howl!"

Very Low Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On April 6 and 20 the North-Western Line will sell Home Seekers' excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.

"While Miss Fitz was away, George took her parrot." "Anything happen?" "I don't know; she keeps the parrot down cellar now, and the engagement is off."—Life.

No-To-Bac For Fifty Cents. Over 400,000 cured. Why not let No-To-Bac regulate or remove your desire for tobacco? Saves money, makes health and manhood. Cure guaranteed, 50c and \$1.00, all druggists.

It would be a good deal easier to love our neighbors as ourselves if they would do things the way we do.—N. Y. Weekly.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, April 1.			
LIVE STOCK—Cattle, common	2 50	@ 3 03	
Select butchers	3 85	@ 4 40	
CALVES—Fair to good light	4 75	@ 5 50	
HOGS—Common	3 25	@ 3 55	
Mixed packers	3 85	@ 3 95	
Light shippers	3 85	@ 4 05	
SHEEP—Choice	4 00	@ 4 65	
LAMBS—Good to choice	5 25	@ 5 60	
FLOUR—Winter family	3 35	@ 3 70	
GRAIN—Wheat—No 2 red	87	@ 89	
No 3 red	87	@ 87	
Corn—No 2	21	@ 21	
Oats—No 2	21	@ 21	
Rye—No 2	30	@ 30	
HAY—Prime to choice	11 50	@ 11 75	
PROVISIONS—Mess pork	18	@ 18 75	
Lard—Prime steam	10	@ 10	
BUTTER—Choice dairy	10	@ 12	
Prime to choice creamery	18	@ 20	
APPLES—Per bbl	1 25	@ 1 50	
POTATOES—Per bbl	75	@ 91	
NEW YORK.			
FLOUR—Winter patent	4 55	@ 4 75	
GRAIN—Wheat—No 1 north'n	84 1/2	@ 84 1/2	
No 2 red	82	@ 82 1/2	
CORN—No 2 mixed	30 1/2	@ 30 1/2	
OATS—Mixed	17	@ 17	
PORK—New mess	9 25	@ 9 25	
LARD—Western	4 40	@ 4 40	
CHICAGO.			
FLOUR—Winter patent	4 30	@ 4 50	
GRAIN—Wheat—No 2	70 1/2	@ 70 1/2	
CORN—No 2	24 1/2	@ 24 1/2	
OATS—No 2	17	@ 17	
PORK—Mess	8 50	@ 8 50	
LARD—Steam	4 40	@ 4 40	
BALTIMORE.			
FLOUR—Family	4 25	@ 4 60	
GRAIN—Wheat—No 2	28 1/2	@ 28 1/2	
Corn—Mixed	23	@ 23 1/2	
Oats—Mixed	11 50	@ 11 50	
LARD—Refined	11 50	@ 11 50	
PORK—Mess	4 00	@ 4 40	
CATTLE—First quality	4 00	@ 4 40	
HOGS—Western	4 00	@ 4 15	
INDIANAPOLIS.			
GRAIN—Wheat—No 2	84	@ 84	
Corn—No 2 mixed	24	@ 24	
Oats—No 2 mixed	18 1/2	@ 18 1/2	
LOUISVILLE.			
FLOUR—Winter patent	3 75	@ 4 00	
GRAIN—Wheat—No 2	84	@ 84	
Corn—Mixed	23	@ 23 1/2	
Oats—Mixed	11 50	@ 11 50	
PORK—Mess	4 00	@ 4 40	
LARD—Steam	4 40	@ 4 40	

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. West & Trux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Wadling, Kimball & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Little Ethel—"I wonder why men like to talk about their old school days?" Little Johnny—"I suppose after they get growed up they are always tryin' to find out where the teacher lives, so they can lick him."

Letters from Farmers.

In South and North Dakota, relating their own personal experience in those states, have been published in pamphlet form by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and as these letters are extremely interesting, and the pamphlet is finely illustrated, one copy will be sent to any address, on receipt of two-cent postage stamp. Apply to Geo. H. Headford, General Passenger Agent, 410 Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

There are some women who are reminded that they are superior creatures every time a man takes off his hat to them.—Atchison Globe.

Home-seekers' Excursions at Half Rates.

Via the Missouri Pacific Railway and Iron Mountain Route, to points in the West and Southwest. Tickets on sale Tuesdays, April 6th and 20th and May 4th and 18th. For descriptive and illustrated pamphlets of the different States, time and map folders, address H. C. Townsend, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

Probably the first thing every man resolves when he gets up in the morning is that he will go to bed earlier the next night.—Atchison Globe.

Specially Remember.

That the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus R. Y. is still selling round trip tickets between all stations on its line, good going and returning Sunday, at a rate of one fare for the round trip. Ask any agent for particulars, or write to C. F. Daly, General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, O.

"They say people who live together get to look alike." "Is that so? Well, just in the interest of science, let's try it."—Chicago Record.

"Star Tobacco."

As you chew tobacco for pleasure, use Star. It is not only the best, but the most lasting, and therefore the cheapest.

It is not difficult to make old people happy: show them some one 20 years older than themselves who is still in good health.—Atchison Globe.

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BOURBON CIRCUIT COURT.
 John J. Peed Committee, Plaintiff,
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FRIDAY, APRIL 9TH, 1897,

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